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Weather
Fine and hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 94.5 and the minimum 74.1, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 94.6 and 78.1.

The Mail Boat
MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Emp. of Australia, Aug. 26.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Grant, 9.30 a.m. tomorrow.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Suwa Maru, Aug. 24.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Mantua, Aug. 26.

Export Trade

Sesamum Seeds
Ground Nuts
China Wood Oil
Bean Oil, etc.

The export trade continues to give a very poor account of itself. Probably the most serious flaw in the outlook for export business is the fact that the political and economic situation on the Continent shows no considerable change. There is little or no inquiry for China products. For sesamum seeds there are buyers in London at £21 per ton, which is equivalent to Tls. 6.30 per picul, ex-godown Shanghai. Local sellers are demanding Tls. 8.80 per picul, and with such a difference to bridge it is hardly surprising that business is difficult of execution. The demand covers the new crop that is expected to be marketed here at about the end of October.

At the beginning of last month the Continent bought large supplies of sesamum seeds from Shanghai for shipment November and December, but since then little or nothing has transpired in this produce, owing to the wide difference between buyers' and sellers' ideas. The season just closed has witnessed active buying of these seeds by Marseilles, Bordeaux, Valencia, Rotterdam and Hamburg. No forecast as to the possible yield of the new crop can be made at the present juncture. Reports from the producing districts speak of no damage done to the crop as yet.

In groundnuts there is an entire absence of business owing to the depletion of last season's supplies. There are buyers abroad of this commodity at £19 per ton but there are no sellers on this side. Consequently no quotation can be given. The crop is reported to be doing well and if all goes well up till November, when it will come on the market, the yield should be much better than last year. There is a little movement of old crop supplies to South China.

As regards groundnut oil the quotation is nominal at Tls. 14.50 per picul. No shipment of this is built to speak of either from Shanghai or Ningpo, but small quantities are going forward to Canton. As far as the general line of nuts, fats and greases is concerned the market is a very quiet affair. In a few instances an easier tone is noted, but as a rule business is limited to unimportant quantities, consumers in many cases still being disposed to limit their takings to small lots to fill current needs. In such circumstances the market continues to be characterised by a rather easy tone and, in some instances, further trading of prices is noted. For animal tallow there is a certain amount of demand from the interior. The markets abroad have purchased during the past fortnight their lots of vegetable tallow at Tls. 13.50 per picul and animal tallow at Tls. 13 per picul for the ordinary grades and Tls. 16.50 for the superior.

There is little of interest in the China wood oil situation. American consumers and dealers are still disposed to hold aloof for further developments, and this and the small arrivals, have given the market a firmer tone. Superior wood oil is quoted at Tls. 22.40 to Tls. 22.80 per picul, according to brands, and secondary is quoted at Tls. 18.80 per picul. The South China wood oil is steadily earning a good reputation in the United States, being considered at present equally good in color to Hankow and guaranteed to pass Worstall's test.

The American market is still oversupplied with bean oil in all positions, and offerings from here and Dairen evoke no response from the other side. Future bulk shipments from Dairen could be arranged to the States in 500 ton lots at 8.2 cents gold per pound, c.i.f. San Francisco, in bulk, but buyers have indicated that their ideas are from 6 cents gold to 6¼ cents gold per pound, without being particularly interested even at these figures.

Japan is holding off from further purchases of Chinese rapeseeds, the reason being that ruling prices here are higher than Japanese rapeseeds. Japanese buyers are offering yen 8.20 per picul, but the Chinese dealers are demanding the equivalent of yen 8.50 per picul. Stocks of this product in Shanghai are about 20,000 bags, which is considered heavy. The market, on the whole, is quiet. Arrivals are small owing to the large supplies here which await working off. The consumers in the United Kingdom are not inquiring for this product, being interested at present in Indian rapeseeds. Large transactions are reported between India and London in this commodity at the rate of £14.10.0 per ton.

Quite a brisk trade in human hair is being transacted especiall-

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GAMBLING AND OPIUM SALES LEGALISED IN SOUTH CHINA

Yunnanese Commanders Overrule Dr. Sun's Orders

CHEN IS FACTOR

Situation For Constitutionalists Not Much Improved

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Aug. 14.—Various forms of gamblings and the sale of opium, once purely open defiance of law by the unruly mercenary troops imported tom Yunnan and Kwangsi into Canton by Dr. Sun Yat-sen to oust the faction of Southern militarists led by General Chen Chiung-ming, have been legalised here by the military authorities.

This act followed a recent order of the Canton Mayor to close certain gambling and opium dens. The Yunnanese commanders have not only insulted the Canton Mayor, who is son of the Generalissimo, Dr. Sun Yat-sen, but have also placed Dr. Sun himself in an awkward position. The Yunnanese, without Dr. Sun's consent, have driven out Mr. Jue Chock-man, Magistrate of Heungshan, the native district of Dr. Sun, Mr. Tang Shao-yi, and other prominent Cantonese.

The Yunnanese and Kwangsi troops, since they were brought into Canton to drive out General Chen Chiung-ming, have failed to eliminate completely the influence of General Chen Chiung-ming from Kwangtung. The Eastern Districts, including Waichow, Swatow, Chaochow, and other important cities, are still in the hands of the enemies of Dr. Sun.

A part of this mercenary army under General Shen Hung-ying turned against Dr. Sun, and, since April 14 last, the latter has been vexed by factional struggles. It appears from experience that the mercenary troops will recognise the Generalissimo only when money is desired. The Cantonese have been forced to pay heavily to assist their leader to hold his position.

At the present moment, however, even the closer followers of the Generalissimo have seen fit to ignore him, and his order to wind up the affairs of the military headquarter at Kongmoon has failed to take effect. His desire to bring about a unification of finance in the province of Kwangtung can never be realised unless there is an early reunification of the Kuomintang and the Cantonese army. Until the Cantonese are able to drive out the non-Cantonese mercenary troops, it is not believed by people here that there will be peace in this part of China.

The recent arrest of General Fung Pao-cho, the Kwangsi Garrison Commander in Wuchow, by the Cantonese troops has aroused no little unfavorable comment on the part of foreigners. The Kwangsi troops and the Cantonese were able to come to terms by which the latter may peacefully occupy that port through the good offices of an American naval commander, whose ship happened to be up the West River guarding foreign interests.

The unexpected arrest of General Fung by the troops with whom he had formally joined in declaring loyalty to the Generalissimo, is rather an embarrassing situation for the officer who effected the armistice and compromise. General Fung's

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Japanese "Sub" Sinks On Trial Trip; 85 Lost

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Aug. 21.—An extra edition of the Asahi reports that a newly constructed submarine at the Kawosaki Dock, Kobe, sank this morning on her trial trip in 35 feet of water. The Captain, the Chief Officer, five dockyard engineers and four other naval officers were saved. Eighty-five members of the crew are missing.

Smiles from the Mixed Court

BY J. L. BUTTS

When one is convalescing one may be pardoned a certain reluctance to move about briskly, likewise a certain irritability with one's fellow men, particularly if any of these seek to instigate the briskness hereinbefore alluded to.

Chinese Police Constable 1179 arose to testify that he had arrested Zee Siau-dzung for persistent loitering on the Nanking Road at 1 a.m., the presumption being that Zee was there for some felonious purpose. On there for some felonious purpose. On being arrested Zee had exhibited symptoms of exreme irascibility, finally pulling 40 cents from his pocket, thrusting it into the policeman's hand and advising the latter to be about his business. Taking the exhoration to heart the C. P. C. deposited Zee and the 40 cents at Louza Station.

Zee, still fulminating, addressed the Court in the following wise. He was emphatically not loitering in the strict sense of the word. He had just been released from hospital and naturally was not feeling very energetic, and it might well have been that his progress along the Nanking Road was gradual. He might even have paused to inspect a number of shop fronts, incidentally resting and regaining his wind. Was this any justification for his being hustled to a cell by an officer whose mind was obviously one seething mess of suspicions? As to the 40 cents, Zee quite frankly admitted its transfer.

"I gave it to him," he declared, "because I didn't want to be bothered."

The Court caught Zee's side of the controversy and, after some pertinent advice about the inadvisability of creating constabulary suspicion, dismissed the prisoner, the 40 cents being ordered confiscated.

PRE-NATAL NOTES

All of the troubles incident to matrimony don't come after the final strains of Mendelssohn, or Lohengrin, or whatever it is, have subsided. Occasionally a large batch of grief transpires as prelude to the ceremony. Such, at least, being the experience of Wong Ah-doo.

Having been nominated for the Benedickery, Wong started out night before last to distribute invitations for the affair. Wong, though only 22 years of age, is a man of many friends and delivery of the sheaf of notifications took him through a considerable area in the International Settlement and then over into the French Concession. As may be imagined, the pilgrimage was made by Wong's friends into something of a ceremonial on its own account.

"Well, well!" responded the recipient of the first red and gilt envelope, and reaching for the samshu bottle he poured out a brace of generous noggins and proposed the success of the impending alliance.

The second invitee repeated the dose, and so did the third, and the fourth and so on, until by the time Wong had called on half his Frenchtown clientele, having reached the home of his friend Yang Lau-sz, the laundryman, he was making heavy going of it. It so happened that in producing his private flask for the customary invocation, Yang opened a drawer in which reposed a 32 calibre revolver. The sight of the weapon awakened in Wong recollections of the days when he was a Boy Scout and more or less of a student of things military. He examined the gun with interest, became so ab-

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Three Foreigners Are Arrested Charged With Alleged Armed Robbery

Matty Smith And Knute Hansen, Prize-Fighters And Outdoor Customs Men, And S. R. Gaynor, Special Constable, In American Jail

Capt. Matty Smith and Mr. Knute Hansen, outdoors Custom's men, and both well known in local boxing circles, and Mr. Samuel R. Gaynor, an employee of the Shanghai Waterworks Company and a Special Constable, were arrested early yesterday morning charged with the armed robbery of two Chinese shops in Honan Road. All three are lodged in the American jail where they will be held pending their hearing before U.S. Commissioner Nelson E. Lurton on Friday morning.

The alleged hold-up occurred about 7:30 o'clock on Monday night when, according to the police, two motor cars carrying the three men arrested, another foreigner who is still sought, and four Chinese drew up in front of Nos. 8 and 11 Honan Road.

One man remained at the wheel of each car, the remainder leaping out as the machines came to an abrupt halt and rushing first into No. 8. Several of the alleged robbers were armed with revolvers with which they threatened the terrorised proprietor.

While the shopkeeper cowered in a corner, the intruders are said to have ransacked the shop, supposedly in a search for opium, which they believed was hidden there, and concluded by carrying off two boxes which later were found to contain clothing.

Leaving this shop they entered the establishment of Zung Yoong Kyi, next door. Again the weapons were brought into silent play and reduced the victim to palpitating submission, while his place, too, was subjected to a rigorous search.

ALARM GIVEN

Owing to the fact that the neighborhood is an obscure one, no policemen were attracted by the flight of natives from the scene, but as soon as the robbers left his place, Lee Sing Tsa, proprietor of the first shop pillaged by the robbers, started on the run for the Central Police Station.

Unaware of this fact, the bandits proceeded to search the second shop in a leisurely manner, and finally took possession of another box of clothing which they dumped into one of the cars with the loot from the preceding raid and vanished in a whirl of dust.

Upon the arrival of Lee Sing Tsa at the police station, Sub-Inspectors Yorke and Hunter were despatched to the scene. Through their investigation one man who had retained the presence of mind to note the license number of one of the cars was found. The car was traced to a public garage, where it was alleged that it had been rented to one of the three accused.

The two inspectors went to the home of Gaynor in Studley Avenue and arrested him at midnight and two hours later took Hansen and Smith into custody at the Customs Club.

The police officers were accompanied to the Customs Club by United States Marshal Thurston Porter, who secured the warrants. Smith and Hansen were both asleep and the officers had a hard time awakening Smith. Finally Hansen, who is one of the most powerful men in Shanghai, simply leaned over, picked him up bodily, and stood him on his feet while the warrant was being read.

Hansen, Smith and Gaynor were formally charged with armed robbery, Sub-Inspector Hunter signing the charge before United States Commissioner Lurton.

No evidence was taken at this session, however, as Acting United States District Attorney, Maj. C. P. Holcomb requested a continuation until 9.30 Friday morning, in order to allow him time to bring his witnesses into court, Sub-Inspectors Yorke and Hunter, still being employed on the case.

The prosecutor laid particular stress upon the citizenship of the accused, questioning Hansen and Smith briefly. The former asserted that although he was born in Denmark, his father had become a naturalised citizen of the United States prior to his reaching the age of 18, but owing to some doubt in the mind of the court as to his exact status under the latest Immigration Act, the point was temporarily passed.

Smith also claimed American citizenship although it has always been understood that he was an Australian. He declares, however, that he was born in Racine, Wis., and that his home is in Portland, Ore. He happened to be in Australia when war was declared, enlisted in the Australian forces, and eventually became a Captain of the Anzacs.

In compliance with the suggestion of the Acting District Attorney that a substantial bail be required, the court fixed bond at G.$1,000 each, in default of which they were remanded to jail until such time as they are able to post the amount or are brought into court to stand trial.

The bond of G.$1,500 originally proposed by the prosecutor was reduced to the amount fixed after the defendants had petitioned the court, Gaynor saying that he had a wife and child and was unable to raise such a large amount, which both Smith and Hansen professed themselves un-

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WUHU GENERAL HOSPITAL BURNS; PATIENTS FLEE

Doctors Continue Operation On Foreigner Despite Flames

(China Press Correspondence)

Wuhu, Aug. 19.—Stirring scenes and several narrow escapes from death marked the burning of the Wuhu General Hospital on Friday when the main building, full of patients at the time, burned to the ground.

The new annex and the residence of the hospital staff were saved but the fire spread with such rapidity that it was impossible to save the main structure.

Every patient was carried out by the doctors, nurses and coolies, unharmed, while the building burned. All showed the greatest courage.

At the very moment that the fire was discovered in the attic of the main building a foreign patient from the s.s. Ngankin was being operated upon in the operating room for acute appendicitis. Despite the fact that the entire building was transformed into a roaring furnace the doctors and nurses quietly and coolly continued the operation, removed the appendix, sewed up the wound, applied addressing and carried the patient to one of the doctor's residences amid the falling embers. They were the last to leave the building.

Officers and crew of H. M. S. Woodcock, which was here at the time, became fire-fighters, and despite the fact that the building was doomed they managed to save a great deal of the hospital equipment by great effort and personal bravery. The Customs force also did splendid work with their fire pump, and the Chinese fire department, with great bell ringing and amid flying flags, also contributed a great deal toward saving the equipment and finally getting the fire under control.

The patients have been transferred to a number of foreigners' homes temporarily where they will continue to receive medical attention until the new annex is in order. A new temporary building has already been started to house 30 male patients. The women patients will occupy the annex.

It is fortunate that the hospital authorities had already planned a new building. The architect is already on the ground and the evacuations have been started so that a new building will be erected on the ashes of the old within a very short time.

The building was not insured but the contents were for the most part covered by insurance. The hospital staff is composed of Dr. W. E. Libby, Dr. F. P. Gaunt, Dr. R. E. Brown, Dr. R. A. Peterson, Miss Louise May and Miss L. L. Cookson, nurse superintendents, and Miss S. A. Remond, secretary and Mr. C. O. Lee, pharmacist.

Hold 75th Equal Rights Celebration

Suffrage Leaders

THE National Woman's Party held a novel celebration in honor of the 75th anniversary of the first meeting of suffragists in the United States. A pageant of the period of 1848, when Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and others met in Seneca Falls, N. Y., to demand the vote for women, was re-enacted in the little town. Here ar shown four of the women, in the gowns of yester-year, who appeared in the pageant. Standing, left to right, they are: Mrs. Jack Trotman, Mrs. John S. Gay and Mrs. Charles S. Hop[illegible]. Seated is Mrs. Susie K. Larzalere, attired as Amelia Bloomer, originator of bloomers for women.

LEBON OFFICERS TELL OF DAMAGE DONE BY TYPHOON

Give Eyewitness Account Of Hongkong Storm; Manila Hit

Eyewitnesses of the havoc wrought by the typhoon in Hongkong who arrived in Shanghai on board the s.s. Andre Lebon yesterday morning described it as the most terrific gale that they had ever experienced.

The Andre Lebon's officers were in a position to know because during the height of the storm the vessel dragged her anchors, went careening about the harbor, and almost ran afoul of the Empress of Australia, which was also anchored in the harbor at the time. Only the splendid seamanship exhibited by the officers of the French liner saved the vessel and the Empress from colliding in which case one, or perhaps both ships, would have surely been sunk.

The Andre Lebon was anchored about 100 yards from the s.s. Loongsang, which sank during the typhoon, and both officers and passengers told a heart-rending story of how those lost on board the Jardine vessel clung for their lives as the ship was tossed about on the angry seas like a bobbing cork until it finally plunged beneath the water. The Chinese members of the crew, according to the passengers on the French liner, all ran to the bow and huddled down on the deck in a pitiful mass. As the vessel began to sink by the bow the crew retreated from the swallowing waters, clinging to the rails and anything else they could catch hold of. As the ship sank, nose first, all that remained rushed to the stern. They were still clinging there when a great wave swept over the vessel. When next the passengers on the French liner could see the stern was deserted. Davy Jones' locker had claimed its own.

NEAR COLLISION

The mooring buoys of the Andre Lebon and the Empress of Australia were situated almost mid-way between the Harbor Office and the Kowloon Ferry. The French liner was moored in front, facing the east, the Empress of Australia two buoys behind. When the full force of the gale came down the harbor from the east, the chain holding

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TIENTSIN NOW IS CENTER OF POLITICAL STORM

Presidency, Loans And Hot Air On Talky-Talky Agenda

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 21.—Tientsin is at present the political center where discussions of the Presidential election are occurring. Admiral Wu Yu-lin is still there It is reported that he is endeavoring to arrange a loan secured on the revenues of the Chentingfu-Taiyuanfu Railway.

Mr. Chien Fan-shih assumed his posts of Vice-Minister of Finance and Director of the Salt Administration yesterday.

Two Russian convicts who escaped from the model prison last week were re-captured at Fengtai on Sunday.

Mr. Shen Jui-lin, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, has declined an offer of the portfolio of Commerce.

A premature report of the deliberations of the Diplomatic Committee on Railway Protection Plans appears in the Chinese press and also in the Peking Leader. The report says that the Committee yesterday agreed to a recommendation for the establishment of a Bureau akin to the Salt Gabelle in which foreigners will act as instructors and inspectors rather than controllers.

Opium Sellers Draw Record Court Fines

Heavy fines, the highest being $500, were assessed by Assessor Allman and Magistrate Kwan of the Mixed Court yesterday in the case of five Chinese convicted of aiding and abetting in the sale of opium in a shop off Kiangse Road. The fines constitute a record in recent cases.

Seventeen men were charged as a result of the police raid on the place and a large quantity of opium, money, opium paraphernalia and documents relating to the sale of the drug were seized. The principal accused was fined $500, a second man was assessed $200, two others were fined $100 each and a fifth was fined $20. The rest of the accused were dismissed with a warning.

The money, opium, paraphernalia and documents relating to opium were ordered confiscated.

U.S. CONSIDERS APPOINTING REPARATION DELEGATES

Conference On World Question May Be Called

MELLON STAYS

France To Discuss Debts With America

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Washington, Aug. 21.—Secretary of the Treasury, Andrew W. Mellon, who returned today from a trip to Europe, held a conference with President Coolidge immediately after his return to the capital. After the conference Mr. Mellon made a statement to newspapermen in which he denied rumors that he would resign from the Cabinet.

Mr. Mellon also said he believed France will send a commission to the United States in September to discuss debt funding with particular regard, of course, to France's debts.

It was also learned today that President Coolidge and Secretary of State Charles Evans Hughes had prepared a recommendation that commissioners be appointed to join with commissioners from other nations in seeking a settlement of the reparations problem.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Aug. 21.—Mr. Andrew Mellon, the Secretary of the Treasury, who has returned from Europe, conferred with President Coolidge today. In an interview Mr. Mellon was pessimistic about the completion of the debt-funding settlements in the near future and about European affairs generally. He said that he saw no way in which America could assist Europe.

EXPECT TO CUT SEVEN DAYS OFF MAIL TO ORIENT

U. S. Aerial Mail Transcontinental Tests Begin Today

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Washington, Aug. 20.—Transcontinental flights from the Pacific to the Atlantic and vice versa will begin tomorrow when American airmen will attempt to cross the continent from San Francisco to New York and from the Statue of Liberty to the Golden Gate.

It is the ultimate aim of the flyers to extend the flights to Honolulu, thus clipping seven days time for mail from New York to the Orient. Mail could leave New York after steamers had sailed from San Francisco and still catch the steamers at Honolulu.

Air experts declare that the new mail schedule is not only possible but that because of the safety devices and new ideas incorporated in the construction of the new machines for the United States aerial mail service such flights can be accomplished with the minimum of danger for the pilots.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, Aug. 20.—It was announced today that within a few days the United States air forces would commence propaganda flights along the Atlantic coast for a distance of 800 miles to demonstrate the necessity of the United States possessing a strong air fleet.

Germany And Vatican To Sign Treaty

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Rome, Aug. 21.—Vatican circles declare that an agreement between the Holy See and Germany would be concluded in the near future. Several important questions that have been considered between the Vatican and Germany have already been agreed upon, it is said.

NEWLYWEDS TO HONEYMOON IN POLO'S FOOTSTEPS

Mr. And Mrs. Eugene Lambe Will Take Movies In Thibet

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lambe, who were married on Monday at the American Consulate-General, will spend their honeymoon tramping in the footsteps of Marco Polo, the famous old Italian globe-trotter who gave the world its first favored account of life in China and the hinterlands of Thibet, Mongolia, Chinese Turkestan, Upper India and other out-of-the-way places where the colorful, barbaric life still exists, it was learned last night.

Mr. Lambe is connected with the Fox Film Company and is expected to leave in the near future to film scenes in Thibet, Mongolia and India for the moving picture public of the United States. At the same time he will "shoot" scenes for a film to be entitled "The Book Of Marco Polo" on the same soil trod by the ancient Messer Marco himself.

Mrs. Lambe before her marriage was Miss Corinne Goodnight and is well known in Shanghai. At the wedding at the Consulate Mr. S. H. Tobin, Jr. performed the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss, close friends of both bride and groom, acted as witnesses.

After the ceremony the newlyweds and a few friends who attended the ceremony were the guests at a wedding lunch and reception at the Astor House given by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conant.

MOORS DEFEAT SPANISH TROOPS IN MOROCCO

Garrison At Tefaraulin Besieged And Afrau Base Cut Off

(Reuter's Service)

Madrid, Aug. 21.—The military critics attribute the Spanish reverse in Morocco to the holding of a big salient.

The base at Afrau on the coast is now isolated. Titaraulin is surrounded and the garrison is holding out. Reinforcements are proceeding thither.

A Spanish military aeroplane, manned by two officers, crashed in rebel territory at Titaraulin. Their fate is unknown.

Madrid, Aug. 20.—With the loss of 140 men, Spanish forces in Morocco have suffered another signal defeat at the hands of the Moors, according to private messages received here.

The engagement is taking place at Tifermin, the reports say, and is one of the most sanguinary battles of the Moroccan war, with continuous firing along the entire battle front.

On the right and left wings of the position the Spaniards are reported to be holding their own, but the heavy assaults of the Moors, who are equipped with the most modern of arms, are said to have buckled up the Spanish centre, which is in imminent danger of being broken.

Despatches from Melilla say that the latest advices from the battle front indicate that the Moors are continuing their savage attacks with unabated fury, while the Spanish desperately seeking to hold on until fresh units which are being rushed up have arrived. Spanish wounded are pouring into Melilla in a steady stream and the hospitals are taxed to care for them.

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While the battle rages along the Moroccan front, a new outburst of criticism has fallen upon the heads of the government responsible for the continuation of the campaign. The Spanish people have consistently opposed the war, which is an attempt to regain the territory lost to the Riff leader, Abdelkrim, in the disastrous 1921 campaign.

(Reuter's Service)

Madrid, August 21.—Seven garrisons have been ordered to send reinforcements to Morocco. Officers on furlough have been recalled.

Two Provinces Revolt Against Soviet Rule

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Constantinople, August 21.—Revolution against Soviet rule has broken out in the provinces of Bucharia and Ferghana according to a report received here today. The revolution is headed by Selim Pasha, formerly on the staff of the Turkish leader, Enver Pasha. Selim Pasha is understood to be inciting all the Mohammedan peoples to revolt against the dictation of the Red

Prizefighter Arrested

KNUTE Hansen, would-be heavyweight champion of the world, who was arrested yesterday charged with armed robbery.

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able to give. Part of the loot is said by police to have been recovered.

Both Smith and Hansen have figured very prominently in Shanghai sporting circles, having appeared in the ring in public on a number of occasions, and Capt. Smith recently took part in the most notable pugilistic exhibition ever staged in Shanghai, which was a 15 round fight at the Stadium with Sailor Chadwick, lightweight champion of China. This battle ended in a draw.

Hansen has never fought in Shanghai because no man big enough to face him has ever expressed the desire. He is 6 feet, 3 inches tall and weighs 220 pounds. He is only 19 years old and Smith, who is his manager, brought him to China in the hope of developing him into a first class scrapper at the expense of other would-be heavyweights in the Far East before he returned to the United States to tackle Jack Dempsey for the heavyweight championship of the world. When Hansen learned yesterday that he would be in jail at least until Friday he requested Marshal Porter to furnish him with a couple of pairs of boxing gloves so he and Smith could work out during their incarceration.

The fourth man wanted by the police and American authorities had not been arrested at a late hour last night although the police net had been laid for him and his arrest is expected to be a matter of a few hours.

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creased in it in fact that when he rose to go he slipped it, involuntarily, into his pocket.

By this time the cargo of congratulations Wong had taken aboard had pulled him badly down at the bow and he was struck by the advisability of steering a homeward course. Thus he came to pass the shop of the guest first invited to the wedding. At this stage Wong was so obviously in distress that the guest, noting him zigzagging along the street, took him in tow. Even under convoy it became evident that Wong would shortly have to be beached and when he suddenly sat down on the pavement in front of 372 Shantung Road his friend realised that the cruise was about over. Glancing up, he noticed that number 372 was a lodging house. Stepping inside he booked Wong for the remainder of the night and then, with the assistance of the hostelry's coolie, escorted his friend within. As he stripped off Wong's gown there was a clatter and the revolver slid across the floor, whereupon the coolie slid softly out of the door and went in search of a policeman, to whom he unfolded a hair raising tale of armed robbers. The policeman communicated with the station and presently a squad of detectives swooped down upon the lodging house. They found Wong slumbering strenuously with the revolver under his pillow and when he was rudely awakened he was unable to make coherent denial of the charge of membership in a bandit gang. So he spent the night in a cell and appeared, looking very sheepish, at the Mixed Court yesterday, when the story was laboriously untangled.

The Court gave Wong a considerable amount of advice and then turned him over to his mother, a lady with a grimly determined look, who signed a bond and led her son ominously away.

Keep It Handy

Immediate relief is necessary in attacks of diarrhoea. Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy should always be on hand. For sale everywhere.

Two Dead, Seven Missing In Fire

(Reuter's Service)

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Two persons were killed, seven are missing and 25 were injured in a fire which destroyed the Wawa Hotel at Lake of Bays, Muskoka, Ontario. Most of the 300 guests fled in their night-clothes.

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Canton Notes

Canton, August 15.—News from Macao states that a small Chinese gunboat which had violated the regulations of the inner harbor has been detained by the Portuguese Government, which refuses to hand it over to any party, pending the receipt of an official communication from the Canton Government.

About 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Dr. Sun Yat-sen left General Headquarters and went to Pak Ngo Tam where the s.s. Wing Fung is anchored.

Dr. Sun was accompanied by a large number of officials, most of whom were those who remained close to him and worked with him from the time Dr. Sun took refuge in the early part of last year until his departure for Shanghai.

He was welcome on board the cruiser and after a short rest spoke before the officers and crew welcoming them back to Canton after their recent exciting experience in Amoy, the Fukien port.

After his speech, Dr. Sun made a tour of inspection of this loyal cruiser and pictures were taken on board for souvenirs.

More than 100 river junks heavily laden with firewood, have arrived at Fantoung, the northeast suburb of Canton, from the North River districts. This large shipment of firewood will be placed on the market for sale. It is reported the prices of this new shipment of firewood will be 80 catties for $1, which is quite a contrast to the present market price of 40 catties for a dollar. It is needless to say that the people in Canton who have been worrying about the high price of firewood for the past few months, are happy to learn the price of this daily necessity is coming down.

The Honan bandits recruited and sent by Warlord Wu Pei-fu some time ago to invade Kwangsung, but later defeated by the Yunnanese forces and driven back to Kiangsi, mutinied recently in Kanchow, a district in southern Kiangsi. Lootings and other outrages were committed by the bandit troops outside the Kanchow city, where they were stationed, and the loss sustained by the natives there is considered to be very heavy. Chang Boon-tan, who commands the northern troops in southern Kiangsi, upon hearing of the mutiny, despatched a company of his troops to Kanchow.

Upon the arrival of Chang's troops, the Honan bandits immediately dispersed without making any resistance.

The reason accounted for the mutiny was that these bandit-troops were recently ordered by Chang Loon-yan to start another attack on northern Kwangtung. Having been defeated by the Yunnanese forces on two separate attempts they were reluctant to face their strong opponents again, and mutinied before they were forced to go to the battle field.

Danes Attempt To Stop Fall Of The Crown

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Copenhagen, Aug. 21.—A conference of thirty-four of the leading financial experts in Denmark convened in Copenhagen today in an attempt to solve the question of Danish exchange and take the best possible steps to counteract the fall of the Danish crown.

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in the shorter varieties at rates ranging between Tls. 45 to Tls. 55 per picul. Supplies of these are small, and the market is firm at ruling quotations. There is little doing in the long variety.

Poor demand and low supplies are the main features of the market for feathers. Duck feathers are selling at Tls. 55 per picul and goose feathers at Tls. 80. Very little business is reported.

Stocks in Shanghai of horsebeans are scarce, and the quotation is about Tls. 2.60 per picul. There exists a demand for the product but business is difficult owing to the lack of supplies. London is offering to buy at £9 10.0 per ton, which is equivalent to Tls. 2.30 per picul.

College Frexy Goes To Study Colonisation

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 21.—President David P. Barrows of the University of California left here today for New York from where he will sail for Europe and Africa to study British and French colonisation methods. He will also make a survey of the military situation at present involving Spain and Morocco.

CHARGE OF ARSON AGAINST FIVE FOR CANTON ROAD FIRE

Five Chinese appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday before Assessor Allman and Magistrate Kwan charged with arson in connection with the fire which gutted a straw braid hong at 585-4 Canton Road and damaged other shops a week ago.

Those charged included the assistant manager, an accountant, a clerk and two apprentices of the straw braid concern. The charge against one of the apprentices was withdrawn and the case was remanded for a special hearing next Tuesday, bail in the sum of $1,000 being ordered for each of the accused. A warrant was ordered to issue for Chang Mai-zee, the manager of the hong, whom the police believe to be in Shanghai at the present time. The police were ordered to open the safe and box found on the premises.

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LEBON OFFICERS TELL OF DAMAGE DONE BY TYPHOON

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the Andre Lebon to the buoy unhapped. The vessel immediately began to recede. The captain gave orders for "full speed ahead." The engine-room staff were kept going at their hardest, but in spite of that, with a hurricane of 120 miles an hour the ship dragged her anchor and began slowly to drift back in the direction of the Canadian liner. It was when the two ships were perilously close to colliding with one another that the gale veered round, and by turning the wheel hard over it was possible to avert a catastrophe.

During all this time, though smaller vessels were being roughly tossed about by the huge seas that were sweeping over them, the Andre Lebon quietly rolled from side to side, so that some of the passengers, who were down below hardly knew that a typhoon was raging.

The officers and crew of the Andre Lebon whose duty kept them on deck had a perilous task to perform, and on several occasions some of them were hurled from one side of the ship to the other by the violent winds. It was impossible to walk upright, the officers being compelled to crawl along the side of the rails, clinging tight with both hands. The Chief Officer's duty post was at the stern of the vessel, but the mist was heavy that it was impossible to see any further than the bridge. The wind screen in front of the bridge was swept away, and glass and small articles were smashed to pieces.

THE LULL

In the height of the gale there was a slight lull, and those not experienced in typhoons on the China coast thought that the center had struck the harbor. The lull, however, merely represented a change in the direction of the wind, which blew alternately from every direction on the compass. At no time during the typhoon did the center strike Hongkong. Had it done so the damage would have been far more terrible. The wind started first from the north-west, and then turned to the north-east, east and south-east. The actual center of the typhoon is estimated to have been about five miles from Hongkong.

Though the Andre Lebon rode the waves easily, yet the water continually swept the fore decks. The Empress of Australia was also in a similar predicament.

The Chief Officer, who stated that he had been at sea for over 20 years, said that he had encountered many furious gales in different parts of the world and had experienced typhoons, but the Hongkong gale was by far the worse that he had ever experienced.

Exactly why the Loongsang should have sunk cannot be explained by the ship's officers. The Chief Officer stated that though the seas were sufficiently high to sink a smaller craft, yet the Loongsang was quite capable under ordinary circumstances of weathering the storm. Whether the ship struck a submerged object which damaged her hull will not be known until investigations of the scene have been made.

The Andre Lebon, which should have sailed early on Saturday morning, but which delayed her departure owing to the imminence of the typhoon, sailed for Shanghai on Saturday night, by which time the storm had abated. The seas outside were almost normal again.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Aug. 21.—The steamer Changsha from Australia to Manila is stranded on Tigi Bank near Tawitawi Island, according to a radio message received last night. The ship's condition is not known but it is believed that it is not serious. She was carrying a number of passengers and a crew of 76. A salvage-boat has been dispatched to her assistance.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Aug. 21.—The American Commander-in-Chief has placed at the disposal of the Governor the services and resources of the United States vessels of the South China patrol. The Governor replied cordially thanking the Commander-in-Chief for his offer of assistance which he deeply appreciated. "At present we do not anticipate requiring assistance to supplement Hongkong's resources, but should we do so would gratefully avail ourselves of your offer."

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Aug. 21.—The Governor-General of Manila and Admiral Sir Arthur Leveson have telegraphed to Sir Reginald Stubbs expressing their sympathy for the losses Hongkong has suffered during the typhoon.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 21.—The City Editor of the Times says that the financial effect of the Hongkong typhoon on the London insurance market promises, as far as can be at present judged, to be light. Qualifications are needed because some time must elapse before underwriters can feel assured that everything is known.

(Reuter's Service)

Sydney, Aug. 21.—The steamer Changsha is ashore on a reef 150 miles from Sandakan. There is no danger but there is eight feet of water in the forepeak and eleven feet in the No. 1 hold. The other holds are dry. The steamer is awaiting re-floating by her salvage steamer. All are well on board.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Manila, Aug. 21.—Extremely heavy rains today have put Manila streets under several inches of water. The official record of the rainfall shows a fall of 8 inches during the past 24 hours. The rain continues.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Manila, Aug. 20.—The steamer, Mingsang, which was at first reported to have been sunk in the typhoon at Hongkong, arrived here today after a tumultuous voyage from Hongkong.

A minor typhoon has been raging here for three days. Heavy rainfall has flooded many streets throughout the city but little damage has been done. All shipping has been suspended.

Chicago Judge Had To Be Modern Solomon

Judge Joseph David

JUDGE Joseph David, of Chicago, was called upon to act the role of a modern Solomon, either to award Alice Beatrice Nuttall to her own mother, Mrs. James Morriss, or to the child's foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Nuttall, who took her from an orphanage in her infancy and who cared for her, while her own mother did not know her whereabouts. The child told the Court she preferred to live with her foster parents. Judge David thereupon awarded the custody of the child to the Nuttalls.

QUEZON CHARGES MANILA MAYOR IS EX-CONVICT

Mud-Throwing Now Injected Into Philippines Political Fight

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Aug. 21.—A bombshell burst in political circles this afternoon when Mr. Manuel L. Quezon announced that he had cabled to the Secretary of War that Mayor Rodriguez, who was recently appointed by Governor-General Wood, was an ex-convict who had served a sentence in Bilibid Prison.

Mayor Rodriguez was convicted in 1900 of forcibly abducting a woman by the aid of a band of bandits and of being an accomplice in the murder of a sergeant of the American Army. He was sentenced to imprisonment for one year and a fine of 1,000 pesos.

Williamstown, Mass, Aug. 16.—Mr. W. Cameron Forbes, former Governor-General of the Philippine Islands, in an address before the Institute of Politics here, defended General Wood's administration of the Islands and stated emphatically that the time had not yet come for the Philippines to be granted Independence.

Mr. Forbes said further that General Leonard Wood was the type of man who could be expected to live up to the legal requirements of his office.

"It is true," he said, "that the people of the Philippines have made much progress along governmental lines, but until the Islands can accumulate sufficient wealth in order to maintain their nationality it is highly undesirable for them to be given their independence."

Note: It was Mr. W. Cameron Forbes, who was appointed by President Harding to act conjointly with General Wood to make a tour of the Islands and report on internal conditions. The Wood-Forbes report issued upon the completion of their trip had far reaching effects, and is one of the causes of dissension between the Filipinos and the people of the United States.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, August 21.—Governor-General Wood, interviewed by Reuter's correspondent, said that he was much surprised at Mr. Quezon's disclosure of the alleged criminal record of Mayor Rodriguez. "Neither I nor anyone in this office had any knowledge of anything unfavorable in Mr. Rodriguez's record." General Wood said that since his release in 1901 he had excellent records both in the United States Government service and in the Filipino Government. He had been elected Mayor of his town and Governor of his Province twice. He was serving as Governor at the time of his appointment. Mayor Rodriguez was convicted and sentenced by a military court during the Filipino insurrection when he was only 16. Governor-General Wood said that he would look into the matter thoroughly. "The reason for reopening the case at this time is perfectly apparent," intimating political mud slinging.

Latest Photograph Of Pope Pius XI

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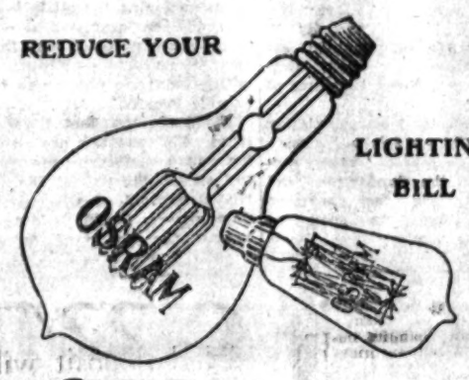

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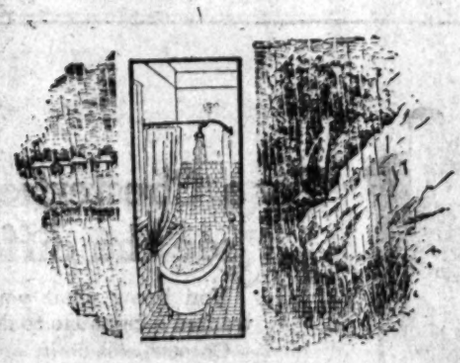

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PRESIDENT GRANT DUE IN THURSDAY WITH U. S. MAIL

With a heavy mail from the United States, the President Grant of the Admiral Line will arrive in Shanghai from Seattle via Yokohama and Kobe tomorrow morning, and is to dock at the Chinese Merchants Central Wharf around 9.30 o'clock. The vessel brings 1,931 sacks of mail, 2,500 tons of cargo and a big list of passengers for this port, but will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Saturday.

Another mail from America will arrive on the Empress of Australia, which is due at Woosung from Vancouver via Japan ports at 8 o'clock Friday morning, and sailing for Hongkong the following morning. The tender with incoming passengers from the steamer is expected at the Customs jetty around 12.30 p.m., and the outbound tender will leave at 5.30 p.m. The last and extra tender with passengers only for Woosung will leave at 10.30 o'clock Friday night.

The next fast mail for America will be dispatched on the Empress of Australia. The vessel is due at Woosung from Hongkong at one o'clock Sunday afternoon, and the tender with incoming passengers from the ship is expected at the Customs jetty about 2.30 p.m.

The Australia will sail for Vancouver via Kobe and Yokohama early Monday morning, and the outgoing tender with passengers and hand baggage for Woosung will leave at 5.30 p.m. Sunday. An extra and last tender with passengers only for the Australia will leave the Customs jetty at 10.30 o'clock Sunday night, August 26.

Following the Empress, another fast mail will go on the President Jefferson. This vessel is due here from Hongkong next Tuesday, and sailing for Seattle on Wednesday, August 29.

With the arrival of the Andre Lebon from Marseilles yesterday morning, the next mail from Europe will arrive on the P. and O. steamer Mantua next Sunday. The liner comes from London and is expected to leave Hongkong at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The Andre Lebon which docked at the S.M.R. Bubbling Wharf, will sail for Kobe and Yokohama at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The steamer Sicilia, another P. and O. boat and coming from London, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai tomorrow, and the British India liner Takada left Calcutta on August 18, and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about September 10.

380 Candidates Seek Erin Jobs

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 20.—The Irish Free State nomination lists show that there are approximately 380 candidates for election. Most of them are Ministerialists and then Republicans, but Independents, Farmers and Labourites are well represented.

There is likelihood of some Ministers failing to be reelected. Many Republican candidates are on the run. The chief of the Republican candidates for north Mayo is Patrick Rutledge, who is Acting President for De Valera. President Cosgrave declared that the Government was endeavouring to arrest Rutledge.

There are several women candidates, chiefly Republicans. Many priests are signing the nomination papers of either of the principal parties.

Band Program

The following program will be played, weather permitting, by the Municipal Band in the Public Garden this evening beginning at 6:15 p.m.:

1—March, "Old Comrades" Teike
2—Overture, "Maritana" Wallace
3—Waltz, "L'Estudiatina" ..... Waldtefuel
4—Selection, "Traviata" ..Verdi
5—(a) Song, "You came to me" d'Hardelot
(b) Waltz, "Weeping Willow Lane" ..... Klickmann
6—Torchlight Dance ..Meyerbeer
7—Selection, "Hawaiian Melodies" Lake

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5 GAL.
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YES SIR! I'M SORRY, SIR!
5 GAL.
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News Brevities

Announcement is made that the Shanghai American School has removed from 147 North Szechuen Road to 10 Avenue Petain. All communications should be sent to the latter address.

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Mr. C. L. G. Wayne of the Shanghai-Nanking Railway traffic department is reported to be ill at his home at 22 Yu Yuen Road.

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Mr. Gordius Nielson will be the speaker tomorrow at the weekly tiffin meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club. Mr. Nielson's subject will be "The Jungjao Garden Village as a Service to the Community," a scheme which should carry much of interest for local residents. The meeting will be at the Old Carlton, on Ningpo Road, and members will be permitted to bring guests.

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The food allowance for the Russian refugees in Peking in charge of the local Russian Benevolent Society, has been cut down to 10 cents a day. Funds are very low. There are 145 refugees in the care of the Society, including some women and children and eight cripples.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Perry O. Hanson, well-known Methodist missionaries of Shantung, who have been in America about four years, have returned to China. They left Shanghai for their station at Tsinan yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Jones of the Methodist Mission in Hinghwa have recently returned from furlough. They expect to leave Shanghai for Hinghwa today.

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A cablegram has been received stating that Mr. H. E. Morrias' filly, Clear Evidence, by Tracery out of Honora, won a race at Windsor last Friday.

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The Chinese Post Office has taken over a large portion of the ground floor of the new Navy Y.M.C.A. and will shortly transfer a portion of its activities thither. These quarters will be occupied until the removal of the Post Office to its new premises about the end of next year. The dead letter office will take up its quarters there and a large amount of the printed matter will be taken care of.

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A baby girl was born to Mr. F. W. Schlobohm, of the Shanghai Service Company, and Mrs. Schlobohm at Dr. Fearn's Hospital on Sunday night.

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Mr. U. Man-hon, assistant comprador for Dodwell and Co. in Hongkong has been arrested charged with illegal possession of firearms found in the Dodwell concern's safe.

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The Petroleum Export Corporation in the Dollar building, of which Mr. J. F. Newman is manager, has been elected to membership in the American Chamber of Commerce.

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Mr. Heine Denkhaus left yesterday for Peitaiho.

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The Italian gunboat Carlotta goes into drydock at the Old Dock today for general overhauling and repainting.

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Mrs. W. A. White and the Misses White sailed for Nagasaki on the Shanghai Maru yesterday.

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Announcement is made of the birth of a son, Arthur James, on August 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Glaugue, of the American Academy, Tsingtau.

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The marriage was celebrated at St. Joseph's Church on August 18 of Miss Margaret Mary nee of Shanghai, to Mr. Peter Leong Hingkee, of Hongkong and Macao. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. Maumus.

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Two Chinese boatmen convicted of breaking into a godown of the Nagai Wata Kaisha mill and stealing 1,000 pounds of cotton were sentenced to two months imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday. Warrants were ordered issued for three others implicated in the theft.

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Five Indians appeared at H. M. Police Court yesterday before Mr. G. W. King, charged with being on board P. and O. S. Dongola on Sunday afternoon without authority and with assaulting two Chinese watchmen and a coolie. Inspector Mellows appeared to prosecute.

After hearing some evidence Mr. King had them sign bonds for good behavior for six months.

Mr. King warned them and said that if they were found on board Dongola again they would have to pay $20 and go to jail.

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Peking Notes

Peking, Aug. 20.—The military and Gendarmerie officers in an interview with the Cabinet Ministers last night demanded the immediate payment of the arrears of salaries due to the Metropolitan Infantry and Gendarmes. The Ministers were reminded of the recent siege of the Kuowuyuan by the angry mob of soldiers. The officers declared that in the event of further delay, they would not be responsible for the maintenance of order in the Capital.

General Wang Huei-ching, Chief of the Gendarmes, gave a reception to the Cabinet Ministers this afternoon. The latter were asked to gave a definite assurance as to the exact date when payment would be made.

The legislators, it is reported, have also warned Mr. Chang Hu, Minister of Finance, that if he would not pay their annual expenses within one week, they would adopt "drastic measures of retaliation."

Mr. Chang is busy negotiating with the Chinese banks for small loans and is said to have promised both the Gendarmes and Parliamentarians that payment would be effected as soon as funds were secured.

Japanese Strikers Attack Factory

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Aug. 15.—About two hundred workmen in the employ of the Niigata Steel-foundry at Kamata, near Omori who have been on strike demanding improvement of treatment, stormed the factory building and the private residence of the Factory Manager last evening.

Order was restored through police intervention. Ten men were arrested. The workshop is under strict police guard.

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Gambling And Opium Sales Legalised In South China

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captors are charging that his declaration was not general. An unconfirmed report states that he may be permitted his freedom upon a payment of a heavy ransom.

General Wei Pong-ping, a well-known Cantonese commander who participated in the West River campaign of the Cantonese against the Kwangsi Army under General Shen Hung-ying, has withdrawn from Wuchow and will soon sail for Kiungchow, Hainan where he expects to act as High Commissioner of Industry.

The Chinese students are holding a national convention in Canton, and many provinces are represented in the gathering. When receiving the students, Dr. Sun Yat-sen expressed a desire to see more educated men taking part in national politics, admitting that his party now lacks capable leaders.

Floods in the East River districts of Kwangtung are preventing active military operations, and so far the city of Waichow, the stronghold of General Chen Chiung-ming, is still holding out against the Cantonese forces.

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Stefansson Sends 'Ship To Rescue' Marooned Britishers

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 20.—Captain Stefansson announces that the schooner Donaldson sailed from Nome, Alaska, on August 2 to rescue the four Britishers marooned on Wrangel Island.

The Donaldson's departure was kept secret in order to prevent interception by the Soviet authorities, who recently were reported to have ordered the capture of any British ship trying to reach the Island, which the Soviet claims to be Russian.

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Fort Mills Team Due Here Today; Meiji May Come Later For Three-Cornered Series

First Game With Philippine Champions Will Be Played Tomorrow Afternoon; Gallopers Strengthened And Will Have Even Chance With Soldiers

Manager Gallop of the baseball team received word yesterday from Tientsin that the Fort Mills baseball team, which has been playing a series of games with the Fifteenth Infantry, the Peking Marines and the Keio University teams, will arrive in Shanghai this morning. The manager also announced that the Millers would play their first game here tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 5 o'clock.

The Fort Mills team will remain in Shanghai until September 3, and as the Meiji University team is scheduled to arrive sometime between the 25th and 29th of August it is likely that a three cornered series of games can be arranged, between Fort Mills, Meiji and Shanghai. It is not entirely certain, however, that Meiji will come, final arrangements not yet having been completed. Manager Gallop is in communication with the Meiji manager and hopes to be able to bring the team here for a series.

The Fort Mills team won the championship of the Philippine Islands in the season that closed last month, and hence was selected as the Islands' representative to journey to China. The team is composed of both Americans and Filipinos this year, in contrast to last season, when all the players were Americans. Platon, Ylanan and Birtelpo, noted Filipino stars, are included in the line-up. Mr. Mumford is still with the team, which news won't cause any wild rejoicing among Shanghai batters.

While the Gallopers didn't make a very good showing against the Peking Marines or the Dai Mai team when they were here there is reason for believing that they will appear at much better advantage against the Fort Millers and Meiji. The team has had plenty of practice lately and in Bullard Manager Gallop has acquired a very valuable man who apparently has rounded out the team in fine shape. He has been batting very effectively and in the field has proven a flash. He can play any position and his presence on the team has given the other boys a lot of confidence.

Freddy Bills is putting up the best game of his career this season and with Thatch (if Jerry will lay off the apple pie) and Kingman in the lineup it needn't be surprising if the Gallopers give the Millers a dusting off or two. John Scott has rounded into his best pitching form and if the team only had a dependable backstop it would have nothing to worry about.

Now that Bullard has proved up it might not be a bad idea to put him in Freddy's Bills' place at short and let Freddy do the backstopping in the big series. This would make a little extra hard work for Freddy, but on the other hand it would give him a chance to work off some of his surplus fat. Given a good catcher the Gallopers would have a chance to break even or better in the forthcoming series.

That the Millers are beatable was proven in Tientsin a few days ago, when the Keio university team took them into camp, 5 to 0. The largest crowd that ever attended a ball game in Tientsin saw the match. To acquaint the fans here with the Millers' line-up the box score is appended:

FORT MILLS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ylanan, 2nd b.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Calixto, s.s.	4	0	2	2	5	1
Platon, c.	4	0	1	3	2	0
Storaasli, r.f.l.b.	4	0	0	4	1	0
Montalbo, c.f.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Drodowski, r.f.l.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Cruz, 3rd, b.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Borowski, 1st, b.	2	0	0	10	1	0
Birtelpo, r.f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ellison, p.	3	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	31	0	5	24	16	2

KEIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kirihara, s.s.	3	2	1	1	2	0
Okawa, 1st, b.	4	1	1	12	0	0
Nagai, r.f.	4	0	2	1	0	0
Yamaoaka, c.f.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hashimoto, 3rd, b.	4	1	1	1	3	0
Nitta, c.	4	0	3	7	1	0
Aoki, 1st, f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Takagi, 2nd, b.	3	0	1	1	4	0
Hamazaki, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	5	9	27	11	0

Summary: Struck out by Hamasaki 9. By Ellison three. Base on balls. By Hamasaki, 1; by Ellison, 1. Hit by pitcher—Hamasaki, Montalbo, Stolen bases, Yarihara. Two base hits: Kirihara, Hashimoto, Nitta, Aoki, Sacrifice hits: Yamaoka. Umpires: Fukunaga and Sawa.

Seagull Wins Bi-Weekly Yacht Race By Good Margin

Although the wind was not very strong yesterday afternoon members of the Shanghai Yacht Club turned out for their bi-weekly harbor race which the Seagull won by a good margin.

The race was marked by the fouling of the Haikuan for in rounding the Pootung markboat the yacht touched the side of the boat thus being disqualified to finish the race although she went on to the end of the course. The Oistos also fouled for after clearing the buoy near the H.M.S. Bee she hit the British war vessel when one of the hands on board made a mistake in jibing. She also completed the race.

After rounding the buoy all the boats were fairly bunched and they raced to the finish but the Seagull proved to be the most speeder of the bunch.

A British vessel "Dispatch" was proceeding upriver when the yachts which were all fairly bunched were sailing down river; the man at the wheel signaled for the yachts to get out of the way but it was too late so the only thing to do was for the vessels to come to full stop which it did and so let the white winged boats have the right of way. The vessel stopped just in time for the yachts to clear her beam and so the race was finished without accidents save the mishaps of Haikuan and the Oistos although they all had a narrow escape from the big vessel "Dispatch."

The next harbor race will be tomorrow afternoon promptly at five-thirty p.m.

Here are the summaries of yesterday's race:

Race—3, Series—3, Tide—Flood, Wind—south by east, Force—2, Course—Up river, round the H.M.S. Bee to starboard side, then down river round the Garden and Pootung markboats to starboard and after going over this course twice, they raced back to the finish at starting line at Peking Road Jetty. Distance—3½ miles. Start—5:30 p.m.

Yacht	Start	Times H.M.S.
1 Seagull	5:30	5:55:40
—Oistos—disqualified		
2 Phantom	5:30	5:57:35
3 Ella	5:30	5:57:50
4 Violet	5:30	5:58:50
—Haikuan—disqualified.		

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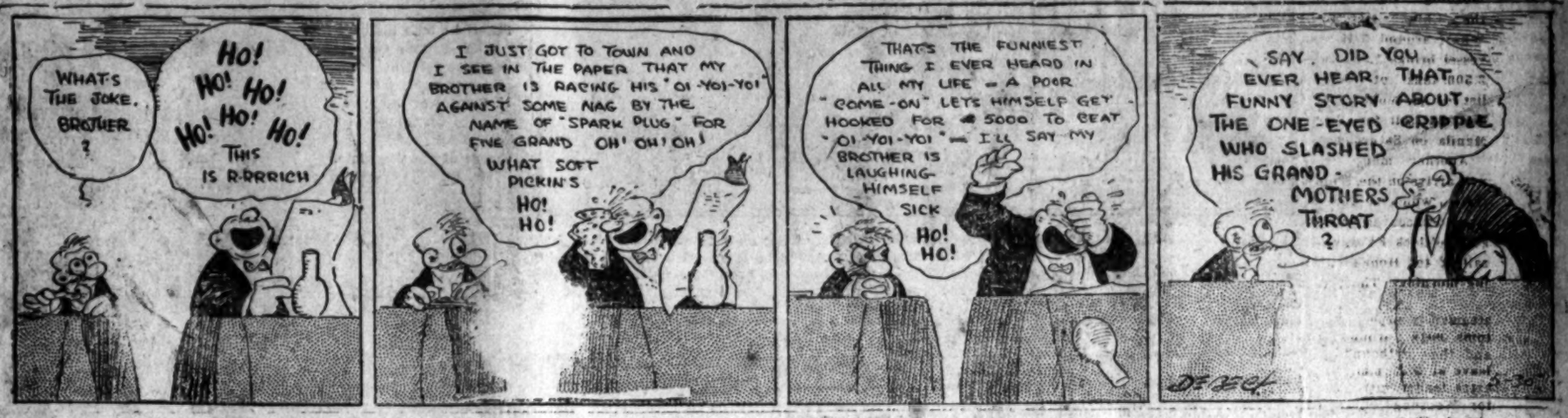
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The final of the Hong Doubles will be replayed on the Hotel Majestic courts this afternoon, after having been left unfinished at two sets all. Messrs. D. E. M. Drummond and H. Toussaint and J. L. Wade and H. Collaco are the contestants. Play will start at 4.30 o'clock.

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Chicago, August 20.—Babe Ruth knocked out his thirty-second homer of the season in today's game, which Chicago won nevertheless from New York by a score of 6 to 5.

Two other home runs were hit in today's games. Kenneth Williams knocked his twenty-sixth home run in the first inning of today's game between St. Louis and Washington. Washington won, 4 to 3. At the same time Cy Williams slammed out his thirteenth homer batting against Benton in the Philadelphia-Cincinnatti game at Philadelphia.

Ferrier And West Win Golf Cups

The following is the result of the Competition for the August Monthly Cup, played for Saturday and Sunday. Conditions. 18 Holes Medal.

"A" CLASS			
J. B. Ferrier	76	3	73
C. H. Hopkins	85	11	74
H. Langley	89	14	75
A. V. Pettitt	88	13	75
J. Oswald	84	9	75
W. H. Train	91	15	76
H. B. Lane	87	11	76
E. A. Mills	89	13	76
C. Richards	90	13	77
22 Cards taken out.			
"B" CLASS			
A. West	87	19	68
L. H. Rawson	93	23	70
F. F. Fairman	91	18	73
A. Parkhill	93	19	74
M. E. Columbine	96	20	76
L. Smith	96	19	77
A. L. Barrett	98	20	78
H. H. Rigge	101	23	78
G. W. Ewart	96	17	79
H. L. Fletcher	99	19	80
22 Cards taken out.			

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Scores Of Games In Major Leagues

New York, Aug. 20.—Following are scores of games in the major American leagues:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis 7; Brooklyn 1.
Chicago 2; Boston 5.
Cincinnati 5; New York 2.
Pittsburg 9; Philadelphia 8.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia 11; Cleveland 7.
Boston 3; Detroit 10.
New York 6; Chicago 5.
Washington 4; St. Louis 3.

Small Bore Club

Members are reminded of Sunday next, the last Club day for the month. Both monthly competitions will close on the day, so as to get out results and go ahead with arrangements for September.

The competition for the Bell Medal will take place in September and the first shoot for the Shanghai Sunday Times Cup in October.

A Small Bore Rifle Meeting is being organised for third week end in November.

Pirie Is Winner Of Clay Pigeon Shoot

Members of the Shanghai Clay Pigeon Club on Sunday competed for the "Toplight" Cup. While shooting was in progress there was a very strong glare from the sun, but in spite of this the scoring was good. The cup was won by W. G. Pirie. Details:—

	Score	H'cap.	Total
Pirie	43	6	49
Gande	44	4	48
Bruce	32	12½	44½
Brooke	31	10	41
Schwyzer	33	7½	40½
Gibson	38	2	40
Read	37	3	40
Moller	34	5	39

Two sweep competitions followed, these being won by Messrs. Gande and Schwyzer, respectively.

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French Wireless News And Views

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 20.—In consequence of the situation created by the German note announcing the suspension of deliveries in virtue of reparations the communiqué declares: "The Royal Government of Jugo-Slavia considers there is the question in present circumstances of a real infringement by Germany of international treaties which affect the vital interests of the Servian-Croatian-Slavian Empire.

Bucharest and Athens are paying similar attention to this question. There exists a desire to put in record the common attitude of the interested states.

The German note received by the Jugo-Slavian Government was communicated to the Reparation Commission at Paris, the competent organ concerning the question regarding the execution of treaties, impressing upon it the protest against the suspension of German deliveries.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 20.—Commenting upon the speech delivered by Premier Poincare at Charleville le "Petit Journal" writes: "Poincare has proclaimed the pacific will of France. His speech was eminently pacific."

The "Homme Libre" says: "The speech of M. Poincare cautious, wise and firm, admirably sums up the situation and shows a France ready to cooperate with her Allies for a complete pacification of Europe."

The "Journal des Debats" says that the speech of M. Poincare is marked by moderation and a great desire for the Entente and is a good introduction to future pourparlers.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 20.—The "Daily Telegraph" of Melbourne in an article published by Mr. Hughes, former Prime-Minister, undertakes an energetic defence of the policy of France in the Ruhr.

"It is worthless to ask one of the two parties to recede. France cannot do that and Germany would not do so as long as other Allies are persisting in their attitude of neutrality. For what did Great Britain start the war? Was it not in order to assure the respect of treaties?

There is only one solution, it may fail, but there are many chances for its success: it is necessary that the Allies abandon their present attitude and adopt a definite and positive policy. The treaty must be respected."

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, August 20.—The unveiling of a monument at Metz to Mgr. Dupont des Loges, the Bishop of Metz in the first years of '63 annexation by Germany, took place in the Cathedral today in the presence of Cardinal Charost, Archbishop of Rennes, the native town of Mgr. Dupont des Loges. The Bishops of Metz, Strasbourg and Luxembourg, all the Senators and Deputies of the Moselle were present, and the French Government was represented by several notables. Cardinal Charost in his speech insisted on the lofty dignity which Mgr. Dupont showed in his dealings with the German authorities, in whom he inspired the greatest respect, and in conclusion recalled the unforgettable ceremony of the inauguration of the memorial to French soldiers in the Champlerre cemetery on September 7, 1871 when, begged by the Mayor of Metz to address a few words to the crowd, he merely recited the words of the Holy Scriptures, "Weep not as those without hope."

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, August 20.—The Pan-German Association, Deutschtumabund, has been dissolved throughout Poland. The central seat of this organisation was at Bydyoszcy (formerly Bromberg) and the multiplicity of its ramifications proved the considerable danger it held for Poland. The Polish authorities have forbidden all further activity by the association, any departure from this being punished under the penal code.

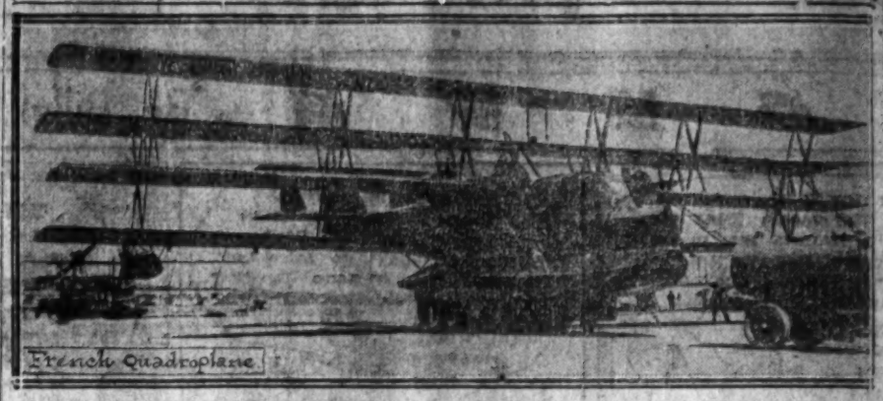
(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, August 20.—A wireless message announces that on Saturday for the first time the wireless concert broadcast from the Eiffel Tower was heard at Prague. The hearing was so distinct that it seemed as if the concert were being given close by.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, August 20.—The Temps announces officially that plague has broken out at Constantinople and the authorities have taken urgent prophylactic measures.

France Maintains Her Supremacy In Air



French Quadroplane

WITH the Entente Cordiale near the breaking point because of France's invasion of the Ruhr, England is showing deep alarm at the immense preponderance of France's aerial supremacy. Above is shown the new giant hydroplane recently completed for the French Navy and successfully tried out at Saint Raphael. The airship has four wings, instead of the conventional two, and is equipped with four engines that give her 1,000 horsepower. More ships of this type are under construction.

Will Not Abide By Chihli Loan Terms

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 18.—The Union of the Provincial Assemblies of the Three Eastern Provinces have issued a circular broadcast to Chinese and foreigners stating that the people of Manchuria will not recognise any loan which the Chihli party or any other outside of Manchuria may secure upon the port of Hulutao, without the approval of the people of Manchuria.

ROYAL VISITOR

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Aug. 21.—Prince Higashi Kuni, who is at present in Paris, will visit Rumania in October to return the visit of Prince Carol to Japan in 1920.

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Report Consul At Chinkiang Took Own Life

Mr. E. A. H. Sly, British Consul at Chinkiang, died suddenly on the afternoon of August 20 and, according to an account appearing in a local Chinese newspaper, he took his own life.

The British Consulate-General here has received no confirmation of the reported suicide but Mr. H. N. Steptoe of the local offices has gone to Chinkiang to investigate his death and take temporary charge of the Consulate.

Mr. Sly was formerly attached to the British Consulate here, and previously had served in Tientsin. His brother, Mr. H. E. Sly, is British Consul-General at Yunnanfu. He was also formerly stationed in Shanghai and in Harbin.

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Red Cross Road Work Continues In China

China is carrying on the work of road building in an effort to reduce the danger of future famine and is rapidly developing important commercial transportation routes.

Particularly in the Province of Shansi, the governor has shown considerable interest in highway construction and under his direction a road has been completed connecting Taiyuanfu, the provincial capital, with Taikuhsien, an important educational center, over 30 miles distant to the south.

Under the new provincial system this road is being continued farther south to Pingyangfu. It will pass through Sukow, Kihsien, Pingyaohsien, (connecting at this point with the Fenchow-Yellow River Road) and on to Hungting.

The most commercially important of the roads built under Red Cross supervision is the one in the Shansi Province which leaves the provincial highway at Pingyaohsien, and, passing through the large city of Fenchow, terminates at Jungtu the Yellow River, thus providing a water outlet for an immensely wealthy district.

This highway, called the Ping Yao Fenchow road, in its passage westward over the plains crosses the entire drainage area of the province. The road has no grades as there is a difference in elevation of not more than 17 feet in 20 miles. The road is 22 feet wide and the roadbed is built up to an average of at least three feet above the surrounding country.

Following the preliminary dirt work which cost at the rate of ten cents gold per hundred cubic feet, the road was surfaced with ashes. There are only a few slight curves and the road could be used at any time for a railroad bed.

The Yellow River road out of Fenchow to the west, crosses the divide between the two rivers Yen and Yellow. Fenchow itself has an elevation of 2,200 feet. To the top of the pass, a distance of 40 miles there is an average rise of less than three feet per hundred to an elevation of 5,200 feet above the sea level.

The road winds around mountains and twists upon itself in a serpentine trail. There are fills 70 feet deep, cut 60 feet deep running for long distances through loess formation and other stretches through solid volcanic rock, which cost $1.75 gold per cubic yard to blast out into a road. In all there are 22 bridges and 454 culverts.

Half of the 173 miles of road in the Province of Shansi, started by the Red Cross and being pushed to completion at the present time, passes through difficult mountain territory and 20,000 laborers were required during the preliminary construction.

Second in importance to the Pingyao-Jungtu Road in western Shansi is the one in the eastern part of the province built by the Red Cross engineers which runs south from Pingting to Liaochow through the heart of the richest coal, iron and pottery district in China. This road brought new life to a section stagnating for lack of communications. The local workers found steady work furnishing shovels, picks, hammers, rollers and other tools required in road construction.

The old road was merely a donkey path that scrambled over rive beds and which in wet weather was very dangerous. Hence when the famine struck this area, no good highway existed over which relief could be sent.

In building this road the engineering difficulties were great. Yang Chuan is on an elevation of 2,184 feet and in going south, the road would have to cross mountain peaks at the elevation of 2,541 feet, 3,128 feet and 4,634 feet and then drop down to Liaochow at 2,688 feet above sea level. In addition to which it would be necessary to cross 12 rivers ranging from 20 to 1,700 feet in width.

There were 237 bridges and culverts constructed, averaging 135 feet in length. Over a thousand feet of retaining wall was built; 54 miles, 20 feet wide and from 9 to twelve hundred feet long were payed. The road has a in an width of twenty feet and in some of the sharper curves on the high peaks, it broadens out until it is nearer thirty. Three materials were employed for surfacing on the level stretches the loess (earth deposited by the wind) is packed down very hard. Where the road runs close to the blast furnaces, iron slag is used to good advantage. This makes a good looking black road which is practically dustless and not particularly subject to rutting. The third method is the use of loose stones obtained from the blasting operation. This material is well tamped. In one place it was necessary to blast about a mile of solid rock to put in the road. In others the loess was cut away to a depth of thirty or forty feet.

The greatest grade is only 7.7 percent, and this lasts but for one percent of the length. Over [illegible] percent of the road has a better grade than 5 percent.

That the surface of the road is good, is borne out by the fact that a motor car made the eighteen mile run from Le ping to Pingtingchow in forty minutes, and the six mile trip from Pingtingchow to Yang Chuan in fifteen minutes with a very bothersome pack train on the road.

Ex-Rulers Of Portugal In England

Ex-King Manuel & Ex-Queen Victoria

TWO of the most distinguished guests to attend the lawn tennis exhibition given by Lady Wavertree at Sussex Palace, Regents' Park, London, were ex-King Manuel and ex-Queen Victoria, deposed rulers of Portugal. They seem to be in jovial mood.

TO BREAK UP WARSHIP

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, Aug. 20.—Mr. E. K. Bowden, the Minister of Defence, announces that steps will be taken to dismantle the battle-cruiser Australia.

Japanese To Use Aeros For Fishing

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Aug. 15.—According to the Yamato an agreement has been reached between the Aviation Bureau of the War Department and the Department of Agriculture and Commerce to utilize aeroplanes in home maritime waters.

The idea is for the aeroplanes to keep watch for a shoal of fish, and report its location to the fishing agents ashore by means of carrier pigeons. The authorities hope in this way to treble the annual catch of herring, bonito and other fish that abound in Japanese waters.

This is the first attempt of the kind in Japan, and the experiment will be watched with keen attention on the part of fishing interests.

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DOLLAR OUTRAGE LEADER TO BE TRIED SOON

Trial Of "Pirate General" Will Be Held At Wuchang

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, August 17.—Admiral W. W. Phelps arrived yesterday on board the U. S. S. Isabel, and brought down with him from Ichang Liu Siang-ting, the "Bandit Colonel" of Ichang who recently intruded into the steamer Alice Dollar with sixteen soldiers and started shooting on that vessel. In the presence of Mr. P. S. Heintzleman, American Consul-General, and Mr. Chen Chieh, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, Admiral Phelps turned Liu over to the special representative of Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan with the assurance that Liu would be detained in the Tuchun's yamen in Wuchang pending final trial in the Martial Court.

The Court will be held in Wuchang as soon as arrangements are made and finding of the court as well as result of the trial will be made public. General Hsiao Yao-nan has received instruction to punish Liu most severely in order to make a public example of the case, and check the wide spread brigandage on the upper Yangtse.

Liu Siang-ting while in the army was an aide to General Chao Yung-hwa whose troops are now along the Yangtse in Szechuen. On July 31 he went on board the steamer Alice Dollar, and as a result of a minor quarrel with the steamer's compradore, he became the central figure and responsible for the shooting fray on the part of his soldiers. Mrs. Tornroth, wife of the Captain of the steamer, and Mrs. and Miss Windham, wife and daughter of the Robert Dollar Co.'s agent at Ichang, were hurt as a result of the incident.

The American Chamber of Commerce has addressed a letter to Admiral Phelps, it was learned yesterday, thanking him for the prompt and efficient service rendered by the U. S. S. Isabel in connection with the outrage on board the Alice Dollar, mentioned in the above dispatch from Hankow.

Filipino Boxer Held For Trial In Assault Case

Bastiano Solano, one of a number of Filipino boxers who have been attracted to Shanghai by the opening of the Stadium and the boxing club at the Old Carlton, was held for trial before Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier in the United States Court for China, when he appeared before Commissioner Nelson E. Larton yesterday charged with assault.

Solano, according to a ricsha coolie, rode all over Shanghai in his ricsha and finally got out at the Public Gardens and threw him three or four coppers. The coolie said he caught ahold of the Filipino and protested and was rewarded by a healthy swat on the eye from the prize fighter's fist.

Solano, in the witness box, asserted that he had arrived in Shanghai only a few days ago and did not know the city. He hired the coolie in Dixwell Road, he said, agreeing to pay him 13 coppers for the ride to the Public Gardens. There the coolie refused to accept the coppers and became belligerent. He didn't want to get into trouble, he said, so he ran until he was caught by the policeman and arrested. His plea was discounted by the Commissioner who held him for trial under G. $50 bail.

85,000,000 Marks For Ton Of Coal, Berliners Protest

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 20.—The inhabitants of Berlin are aghast at the prospect of the coal being 85,000,000 marks per ton in consequence of the Coal Council's warning of a forthcoming 200 percent increase in the price. This comes on top of a 2,000 per-cent increase in transport rates, which has just been effected and already makes coal prices 2,000,000 times above those before the War. Electric light, gas, and railway rates are becoming prohibitive. The prices of clothing, boots and food are advancing enormously and already exceed the world parity.

With the object of saving the Leipzig Autumn Fair from becoming a wash-out, the Fair authorities have been empowered to issue emergency currency.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 21.—It is officially stated that the Cabinet yesterday evening after consultation with the Party leaders adopted resolutions for the immediate enforcement of the emergency economic measures.

Is "Wild Bull" Fighting For Her?

Miss Petrona La Rosa, of Evanston, Ill., may be the goal toward which Luis Angel Firpo, "Wild Bull of the Pampas," is aiming in his fighting career. She went to school with the great South American fighter and was his childhood sweetheart. It is admitted that a quarrel with the fighter led to her coming to America, and it is rumored it was only then he decided to follow.

FINE PROGRAM PROMISED FOR B.W.A. CONCERT

Music And Movies To Feature Friday Entertainment

A very attractive program has been arranged for the open-air concert to be held in the grounds of the Majestic Hotel next Friday evening at 9:30 o'clock. Among other interesting items, there will be songs by Mrs. Jones and Mr. Butt and the Brothers Sims have promised to perform.

The second half of the program will be devoted to a cinematographic performance kindly given by the Peacock Motion Picture Co. of New York and China, and many interesting films will be shown, including a fascinating demonstration of high diving by the beautiful Annette Kellerman. There will also be some amazing nature studies of life in the jungle, a lioness and her mate at play with their cubs and a realistic fight to the death between a man and a full grown lion. The most thrilling picture of all however is one called the "The Modern Centaur." This film presents a troup of cavalrymen in a wild ride across country of the roughest description and at a positively terrifying pace. The horsemen are seen leaping over gaping chasms and down precipitous cliffs, through flooded areas and over mountain ranges. No banks are too steep, no gaps too wide for these intrep'd riders and it is without doubt one of the best films every screened in China.

The performance will conclude with one of those amusing episodes in the "Crazy Cat" series entitled "Felix at the Fair" and altogether it should prove a most entertaining program and a pleasant way of passing a sultry evening at this time of year.

Obituary

MR. C. C. BOYNTON

A cablegram received in Shanghai yesterday announced the death of Mr. Cyrus Clark Boynton of Los Angeles, California, father of the Rev. Charles L. Boynton, the Acting Principal of the Shanghai American School.

Mr. Boynton was 80 years of age on August 16 and was actively engaged in business at the time of his death, being President of the Fidelity Savings and Loan Association of Los Angeles, the largest institution of its kind in the Far West.

For over 40 years he was a successful teacher. He is survived by his widow, four sons and a daughter, all of whom have been identified with educational work on the Pacific Coast, and in Japan and China.

French Senator Sees Chicherin

(Reuter's Service)

Moscow, Aug. 20.—The French Senator, M. De Monzi, today interviewed M. Chicherin, M. Kameneff and M. Krassin.

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President Grant May Be Late

The President Grant, which experienced a fire in a hold while en route between Yokohama and Kobe, may not reach Shanghai until early Friday morning, according to information received last night. The delay may be occasioned by shifting the damaged cargo in the hold. The Grant was due to arrive on Thursday.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Aug. 21.—A fire is reported to have broken out on board the Admiral Line steamer, President Grant, which is at present in Kobe. The fire started in the No. 1 hold and has not yet been extinguished. Considerable damage is feared.

New Singer Makes First Appearance Here At Parisien

Patrons of the Parisien were pleasantly surprised last night by the unheralded appearance of M. Paoli, the distinguished baritone, who is visiting Shanghai for the first time, having arrived yesterday on the steamer Andre Lebon.

Besides a number of vocal selections, all of which were enthusiastically received, M. Paoli gave two violin solos, both improvisations and was encored each time.

Tonight M. Paoli makes his first formal appearance at the Parisien and efforts are being made to persuade him to extend his stay here over several weeks.

Grovesend Steel Co. Buys Out Rivals

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 20.—The Grovesend Steel and Tin-Plate Company Ltd. of Gorseinon near Swansea has purchased the Dyffryn Steel and Tin-Plate Works, the Mardy Tin-Plate Works and the Dynevor Tin-Plate Works. The deal involves £600,000. The Grovesend Company now owns three steel works, fifty-four tin-plate mills and twenty-two sheet mills.

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L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, August 20, 1923.

Date	Name	No. of Pkge.	Description	Vessel
1920				
Nov. 24	T. Smith	1	Box	Nellore
1921				
April 23	B. Dearn	1	Trunk	Venezuela
May 29	H. S. Carey	1	Box	Empress of Asia
June 24	Y 16 S	1	Case	Golden State
July 28	Mi C. Wong	1	Box	Taiyo Maru
July 28	Y. C. Chow	1	Trunk	Taiyo Maru
Aug. 3	Wakayuma	1	Basket	Yawata Maru
Aug. 8	Lokoloff	1	Trunk	Nile
Sept. 7	Fung Shee	11	2 Trunks 3 Kit Bags 6 Baskets	Empire State
Oct. 1	Tin Wong	1	Box	Nile
Oct. 3	Unknown	1	Case	Empress of Russia
Oct. 13	Haschmayer	1	Linen Bag	Taiyo Maru
Nov. 2	R.W.R. Newton	2	1 Case 1 Crate	Siberia Maru
Nov. 3	R. Kato	1	Basket	Atsuta Maru
1922				
April 6	Remedios	1	Basket	City of Calcutta
May 11	Lum Lee	1	Case	Empire State
June 15	Lin Shek San	1	1 Bundle 1 Case 1 Trunk	President Madison
July 2	Hom Back Ngin	2	Trunks	President Madison
Sept. 11	A. Strok	1	Box	Empress of Canada
Sept. 11	E. B. G.	1	Box	Empress of Canada
Sept. 11	J. Cowdry	1	Box	Empress of Canada
Oct. 19	T.D.V.Westrolopen	1	Case	Porthos
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8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order,
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Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

行棧實業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$300,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office.
C. 7131 to 7134, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK." Shanghai.

華東銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars	4,000,000
Aut. Cap. Gold it. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold it. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Bale.
Lon and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: SINIT SHANGHAI, No. 14 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU.
General Managers

Vessels Due

Antilochus, *Kobe*	Aug. 24
Aso Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 25
Bowes Castle, *New York*	Aug. 27
C. Highlander, *Vancouver*	Aug. 24
Chungking, *Hankow*	Aug. 26
Ct of Norwich, *New York*	Aug. 23
Emp. of Asia, *Vancouver*	Aug. 24
E. of Australia, *Hongkong*	Aug. 26
Fausang, *Tientsin*	Aug. 24
Feiching, *Foochow*	Aug. 23
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Aug. 26
Hainkong, *Tientsin*	Aug. 22
Hainming, *Tientsin*	Aug. 25
Hain Peking, *Yingyo*	Aug. 22
Hain Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Aug. 22
Hain Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Aug. 23
Hwahting, *Chinwangtao*	Aug. 22
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Aug. 25
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Aug. 23
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Aug. 28
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Aug. 21
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Aug. 24
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	Aug. 27
Kumano Maru, *Osaka*	Aug. 29
Korea Maru, *Hongkong*	Aug. 23
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 25
Kutsang, *Calcutta*	Aug. 29
Kwangtah, *Hongkong*	Aug. 24
Kwangsang, *Hongkong*	Aug. 26
Loksang, *Tsingtao*	Aug. 22
Liangchow, *Hongkong*	Aug. 27
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 26
Liverpool Maru, *Europe*	Aug. 22
Luenho, *Hankow*	Aug. 29
Mantua, *London*	Aug. 26
Moorish Prince, *New York*	Aug. 22
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Aug. 23
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Aug. 22
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Aug. 23
Pawlet, *Portland*	Aug. 26
Povang, *Hankow*	Aug. 29
Pres. Jefferson, *Hongkong*	Aug. 28
Pres. Grant, *Seattle*	Aug. 28
Saikio Maru, *Dairen*	Aug. 29
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Aug. 24
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	Aug. 27
Shengking, *Hankow*	Aug. 22
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Aug. 29
Soochow, *Tsingtao*	Aug. 23
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 22
Suwa Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 23
Sunning, *Hongkong*	Aug. 2?
Taisang, *Hongkong*	Aug. 26
Tatung, *Hankow*	Aug. 2?
Takeshima Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 27
Toonan, *Newchwang*	Aug. 22
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 23
Tungshing, *Hongkong*	Aug. 23
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Aug. 24
Waisching, *Hongkong*	Aug. 23
Whangpu, *Hankow*	Aug. 24
Woosung, *Hankow*	Aug. 27
Yamashiro Maru, *Osaka*	Aug. 26
Yunghsing, *Ningpo*	Aug. 23

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$300,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .....
C. 1929 Manager's Office.
C. 6463)
C. 6464) General Office.
C. 6470)
C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hankow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengtoh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Kay, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$320,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
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Every description of banking business transacted.
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Surplus and Undivided Profits.... U. S. $ 900,000

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Correspondents:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal.
Northwestern National Bank, Portland, Ore.
Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.
Amer. Sav. Bk. and Trust Co., Seattle.
Shanghai Branch: Central 7944, 7945, 7946, & 7947

6 Kiukiang Road
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold
A. E. SCHUMACHER
Manager

東方匯理銀行 Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorized Capital ..	$5,000,000
Paid up Capital	$2,500,000

Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interests allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank.
Westminster Foreign Bank (London).
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco.
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

K. C. WAI,
Manager.
38 Kiangse Road.

Launch Services

Thursday, August 23, 1923
The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru, for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 p.m.

Friday, August 24, 1923
The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 5:30 p.m. The last and extra tender with passengers only for the Asia will leave at 10:30 p.m.
The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the I.Y.K. s.s. Suwa Maru, for Europe will leave the Customs Jetty at 5 p.m.

Sunday, August 26, 1923
The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia, for Vancouver via Kobe and Yokohama will leave the Customs Jetty at 5:30 p.m. The extra and last tender with passengers only for the Australia will leave at 10:30 p.m.

Subtle Lovers

BY ALFRED EDYE
(In the London Mail)

One of the qualities in a man most appreciated by a woman is subtlety. She dislikes crudity in her lover or husband. As a modern girl expressed it: "The average man is so hopelessly obvious."

I do not suppose most of us realise how many of our little ways and habits are repellent to sensitive women. As they grow older women learn to be tolerant. Perhaps their feelings become blunted or they school themselves to put up with our failings. Or perhaps they even come to like them with the marvellous forbearance of mothers for naughty, crying children.

In love-making a woman is attracted by a man who shows finesse and discernment. She does not like to be "rushed" or taken for granted. By the method of his wooing she judges the man. The taking by storm, bull-in-a-china-shop process, may succeed with a particular kind of woman. But not with the best type and certainly not with the young and inexperienced.

Subtlety does not mean insincerity or pretence. But it is a tribute which a woman is quick to prize. It reveals discernment, that the man has taken the trouble to consider and study her feelings, her likes and dislikes, that he is at pains to please her. It expresses itself in a hundred ways, in small remembrances, acts of thoughtfulness, little courtesies and gracious deeds.

The art of compliment is rather at a discount in these days. All women like compliments, but not clumsy compliments. There is a subtlety of speech which especially delights. It hints at so much more than it actually says and leaves something to the imagination.

There is magic in words and in tones of voice and a woman is very sensitive to both. The right word at the right time, the realisation of the right time—there comes in the subtlety.

And there is subtlety in a glance. There are certain looks in a lover's eyes which a woman values more than anything else. In a crowded room, perhaps, his eyes meet hers and there is that in them which satisfies. They have no need of speech. They have signalled their message. They have said what she wants to hear.

"Although I am separated from you and have to talk to boring people, it is you and you only out of all the world I want."

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H/$1,115 B.
Chartered	£19½
Russo-Asiatic	None
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$625
North China	Tls. 125
Union of Canton	H.$230 B.
Yangtsze	H.$27
Far Eastern Inv.	Tls. 19 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$123 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$475 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$137½ B.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$37½ B.
"Shell"	67/9
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 79½
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20½ B.
Oriental Cons.	12A.
Raub	$4½ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$149 S.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 91½
New Eng. Works	Tls. 7.20
" Pref.	Tls. 5¼ B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 198½ B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$160 S.
Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
Astor House	Tls. 50
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 121½ B.
Cl.-French Land	Tls. 130 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 58 S.
Carlton Ltd.	
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	$12.10 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
Lou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5
Shanghai Cotton.	Tls. 80 B.
Industrials	
Butler Ties	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$205
Green Island	$28 B.
Langkats	Tls. 30¼ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
P'hai Sumatra	Tls. 90 B.
Stores	
Ball and Holts	$6¾ B.
Dewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$192 B.
Moutrie	$56 B.
Watson	H.$21 B.
Weeks	$18
Rubbers (local)	
Anna	Tls. 7¼ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.80 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3¼ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Batu	Tls. 0.70 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.22½ B.
Bute	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Chempedak	Tls. 6½ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.70 B.
Cheng	Tls. 2.85 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.55 B.
Dominion	Tls. 11 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 13¾ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 7 B.
Karan	Tls. 1.35 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.32½ B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 16¼ B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 6¼ B.
Padang	Tls. 1.30 B.
Pengkalan Lurus	Tls. 3.20 B.
Permata	Tls. 0.92½ B.
Repah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 1.20 B.
Seckoes	Tls. 1.40 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1¼ B.
Senawang	Tls. 0.75
S'hai Kiebang	Tls. 4 B.
Shanghai Malay	Old 9½ B. New 9 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 1 B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.55 B.
Sungalay	Tls. 10 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3.60 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 0.70 B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.77½
Taiping	Tls. 0.85 B.
Tenah Merah	Tls. 1.52½ B.
Tebong	Tls. 2.65 B.
Ziangbe	
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 225
Daily Dairy	Tls. 14 S.
Shanghai Tramw.	Tls. 153 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 19 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 71 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

H. Sellers, Sc. Geiss, H. Myers

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Money Exchange

Shanghai, August 21, 1923
Mex. Dollar market rate..72.075
Native Interest 02
Copper Cash 249.500
Bar Silver 31 1-16
Shanghai Gold Bar 338½
Bank rate of Discount .. 3%
Paris on London 81.75
New York on London 455 9-16
London—
Telegraphic Transfer ..3/0⅛
Demand 3/0⅝
New York—
Telegraphic Transfer 69¼
Demand 69½

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0½
London (Demand) ..	3/0⅝
London 4 m-s	3/0⅝
India (T.T.)	227¼
France (T.T.)	1245
America (T.T.)	69¼
Hongkong (T.T.)	74¾
Japan (T.T.)	70¾
Batavia (T.T.)	181¾
Straits (T.T.)	77

BANKS'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits..	3/1⅝
London 4 m-s Docts ..	3/2
London 6 m-s Credits..	3/1⅝
London 6 m-s Docts ..	
France 4 m-s	1295
Amerira 4 m-s L/c ..	71¾
Docs	72¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 70⅝ = Tls. 141.34
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $195.49
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3/1⅛ = Tls. 6.40
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $8.85

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR AUGUST

Hk. Tls. 5.86	@ 3/0⅝	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.28	@ 70	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1183	Fr. 13.13
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 70¼	Yen 1.59
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 226½	Rupees 2.52
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.62	Ital. Lire 17.41

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 69⅞
Demand buying on America 70⅝
Demand selling on London 3/0⅝
Demand buying on London 3/1⅛

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 500,000 ....Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 16.00 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.79 = 1 Tael
Marks 1.500.000 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 106.00 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 23.30 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 129.25 = 100 Fr. Francs

CHINESE GOV. BONDS
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Monday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	56.50	56.50
7th Year 6%	46.10	46.00
9th Year 6%	66.70	66.50
6% Consolidated	50.30	50.00
7% Consolidated	58.00	58.00
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
9% Millions 8%	24.50	24.00

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Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

August 21, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each up 1-16d in London yesterday. The New York price advanced to 63 cents and and the London-New York cross rate declined to 456⅞. The only change in our official quotations here today was a drop in the Franc rate to 1245. Our market here today was firm.

There were generally sellers of Sterling at 3-0⅛ for August, 3-0 13-16 for September and 3-0⅝ for October-November. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 69⅞ for near delivery and also forward. There were sellers of Yen at 70 for near delivery and 70⅛ for forward.

There were buyers of all currencies at a fraction above these rates. Speculators sold a fair amount today again thus strengthening the market. There were very few bills offered.

Banks were quoting 3/1⅛, 71½ and 1295 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively. India bought silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as closing quiet. There was no business done in the New York market.
Deman dselling, America 69⅞
Demand buying, America 70⅝

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, August 21, 1923
OFFICIAL
H. & S. Banks $1,120.00
Union Insurance H. $232.00
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 30.50
Samagagas Tls. 0.95
Shanghai Pahangs Tls. 1.05
Chengs Tls. 1.75
Repah Tls. 0.95

UNOFFICIAL
H. & S. Banks $1,125.00
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 30.50
S. & H. Wharf Tls. 200.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 91.00 Sept.

Rubber Outputs

	June	July
Alma	24,500	25,500
Anglo-Dutch	40,000	41,000
Anglo-Java	145,500	109,100
Ayer Tawah	—	—
Batu Anam	18,330	
Bukit Toh Alang	12,995	27,790
Bute	13,100	16,050
Chempedak	13,500	14,800
Chemor United	24,388	26,020
Cheng	12,186	18,068
Consolidated	50,117	59,000
Dominion	28,624	30,491
Gula Kalumpong	92,000	94,000
Java Consolidated	43,900	36,900
Kapala Island	—	6,814
Kapayang	12,810	11,203
Karan	7,024	7,028
Kota Bahroe	32,255	27,502
Kroewoek	48,000	47,000
Langkat	73,800	84,200
New Amherst	4,055	
Padang	3,900	14,500
Permata	7,317	7,323
Repah	19,533	22,184
Samagagas	—	—
Semambu	16,828	17,157
Senawang	23,500	23,700
See Kee	12,655	13,943
Shanghai-Seremban	13,555	15,434
Shanghai Kedah	19,241	20,653
Shanghai Kelantan	16,700	21,500
Shanghai Malay	27,607	28,777
Shanghai-Pahang	18,577	15,667
Shanghai Klebang	10,600	11,400
Shanghai Sumatra	58,681	76,766
Sua Manggis	—	—
Sungala	—	—
Sungei Duri	20,682	19,900
Taiping	70,500	
Tebong	59,000	64,000
Tenah Merah	24,400	26,000
Ziangbe	38,500	35,700

Weather Report

Remarks on the 20th.—High pressures over Japan. The Pacific Ocean typhoon is advancing NW ward to the SE of the Loochoos. Another low center is located to the West of the Ballintang Channel. Very unsteady winds over the north of the China Sea. Summer monsoon over our coasts. Fine and hot weather in our Valley.

Morning of the 21st.—Fine weather. Some mist over the fields before sunrise. SEly wind. The pressure keeps high and rather steady.

Provision Prices — In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on August 21, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	40-50
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	50-60
Mackerel	"	25-30
Pomfret	"	25-30
Salmon	"	20-25
Samli	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	25-30
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	10-15
Banana	"	7-8
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Strawberries	per lb.	none
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Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Bread Beans	per lb.	6-8
Cabbages	each	10-15
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	"	4-6
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	6-6
French Beans	"	18-20
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	6-8
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Parsnips	"	3-4
Potatoes	per picul	$1.50-$2.00
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Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-8
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WEATHER

Fine and hot weather. Easterly winds over our coasts. The low center located over the Northern China Sea will raise rough weather over the Kwangtung coasts. The Pacific Ocean typhoon will approach the Loochoos N.W wards.

BIRTHS

SCHLOBOHM: On August 19th, at Dr. Fearn's Hospital, Anna Marie, wife of F. W. Schlobohm, of the Shanghai Service Co., of a daughter. 61314 A 22

BORN to Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Glauque, American Academy, Tsingtao, a son, Arthur James, August 15th, 1923. 61308 A 22

MARRIAGE

LEONG-HO: On August 18th, 1923, at St. Joseph Church, Shanghai, by Rev. Father Maunus, Mr. Peter Leong Hingkee of Hongkong and Macao, to Miss Margaret Mary Ho of Shanghai. 61312 A 22

Post-Office Airplane Service

COMMERCIAL aviation under government encouragement is being developed more rapidly in Europe than in America. This is due largely to the importance which European nations attribute to possession of aerial fleets capable of speedy conversion to the needs of war. A passenger service of Pullman comfort has been in operation between London and Paris almost from the date of the armistice, and now a post-office airplane is being developed in England.

This type of machine, in addition to a compartment in which clerks may sort mail as they do in a railway post-office car, will contain sleeping quarters for the crew, who will work in shifts. The planes will have a cruising radius of 2,000 miles, and will be capable of remaining in the air continuously for 24 hours. They will be equipped with automatic self-balancers, giving them a maximum of stability and minimising the work of the navigators. They can be guided by compass through fog or clouds.

The operation of these craft will be watched with interest in the United States where air mail service is flourishing, if it is still somewhat primitive. If they prove successful, similar machines with fuel tanks large enough for them to fly from New York to the Pacific coast without refilling, will undoubtedly be constructed. Owing to the great distances to be traversed, the speeding up of mail service consequent upon their use would work seven greater convenience than in Europe.

It will doubtless be years before New York and San Francisco are linked by a fast mail service equal to that furnished between New York and Chicago by the 20-hour schedule of the Twentieth Century limited, but with large and stable post-office airplanes in operation, it should be perfectly possible for a letter mailed in San Francisco say at noon Saturday, to be delivered in New York at the opening of business Monday morning.

Note And Comment

ONE result of "tension" is a crusade in France against the mania for using English words. Sports have been most affected, by words like "le boxe," "foot-ball," etc., but the Figaro is trying to abolish "week-end," of which quite enough was heard, it says, in the days of Lloyd George.

Photographs show that not much is left of the famous monument marking the site of the battle of the Boyne, near Drogheda, which was blown up by vandals last month. Antiquaries may grieve, but Ireland has more serious matters to think about. As a work of art it had no importance.

Rumania is agitated over a new law which appears to provide for the liquidation of the property that formerly belonged to so-called enemies of Rumania who after the war by annexation became Rumanian citizens. Enforcement of such a confiscatory measure would hardly be the way to promote loyalty.

If anybody should offer to sell you a Turkish scimitar with a bronze hilt inlaid with onyx and a tortoise-shell sheath, look unobtrusively to see whether the blade is engraved with the initials F. B. and if so notify the authorities. It was the property of Napoleon I. and has been stolen from the Palazzo Lezzi a San-Sarele, Venice. Collectors of Turkish scimitars should be on their guard.

London's Labor newspaper, the Daily Herald, has had its offices raided by government officials as a consequence of publishing an "exclusive" photograph of the secret launching of a new submarine. The authorities must have regarded the photograph as genuine, or they wouldn't have gone to this trouble about it. But to judge from reproductions in American papers, anyone would be welcome to all the information about the mysterious craft that he might get from the picture.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

"Dear Jack," she wrote, "I've
thought of you all day,
And wondered if I ought to
write or not;
There's something I wish very
much to say;
You know that I admire you
a lot;
You've always been so thoughtful and so kind—
More like a brother, really,
than a friend;
I hope that when you read this
you won't mind;
I'd hate to think it was to be
the end.

"I hardly know just how or
where to start,
But recently I've met some one,
and—oh,
Somehow, it seems so strange!
He says his heart
Will break if I decide to answer
no.
I wish I knew—he's really very
nice,
His prospects, I've been told,
are splendid, too!
I don't know why I'm asking your
advice,
But please be kind and tell me
what to do.

"I think we'll go to Europe—
that's unless
You think that I'd be foolish
to consent;
I'd hate most awfully to answer
yes
And later on have reason to
repent.
I've promised him my answer
Sunday night;
I don't know what to say—it
all depends,
And, anyway, I'll wait until you
write—
Please promise that we always
shall be friends!"

"Dear Maude," he answered, "I
am proud, indeed,
To have your confidence. If
he's as good
As you have said he is, don't let
him plead
As one whose merit is not understood.
Don't break his heart—say yes
without delay,
And you and I, whatever comes
to pass,
Will still be friends—" she tossed his note away,
And blubbered: "How I hate
that stupid ass!"

Topics In Brief

And the Eighteenth Amendment was designed to take Prohibition out of politics!—Wall Street Journal.

A third party gets its name from the way it generally finishes when an election is held.—Southern Lumberman.

A man may live long in Bulgaria if he drinks buttermilk and stays out of politics.—San Antonio Express.

SHANGHAI SHEBAS

Shanghai shebas, unlike shicks, are made as well as born. Give them carte blanche entre into any first-class chemist's shop, a few lessons in Elinor Glynnism, and some weak-minded shick to practice on and even the second grade hoot-nanny can be developed into a lady what don't give a darn that would make Mr. Kipling revise his vamp into an addition on the Psalms.

* * *

Even under the extraordinary circumstances prevailing in Shanghai some of our most frail shebas would make Cleo go chase herself around the block with righteous envy. And if Helen of Troy's face sunk a thousand ships just figure out what Moscow Minnie, our leading Russian sheba, would do to a flock of junks! Oy! Oy!

* * *

Cleo, it may be remembered by the super-eddicated, went out and got herself an asp and stung herself because some other dame came along and pulled a line that had Mark Anthony, her favorite sweetie, hanging on the ropes for air. Which all goes to show the improvements that have become prevalent in the gentle art of sheba-ing — in Shanghai the sheba's simply sting the ash-can he-male and start lookin' for new worlds to conquer.

* * *

Delilah, it is alleged, sheared poor Mr. Sammy Sampson until he was plumb goofey and then clipped off his hair with her little shears. Shanghai sheba's get the same effect by bobbing their own hair.

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"Ten years from now," says Elinor Glynn, who perhaps is the grandma of all the little sheba's, or would like to be, "I will be much younger than I am now." Elinor may of said that just to get the grimm sheba's nanny, or, of course, she may already have a goat.

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The Union of Sheba's has only one battlecry, although it is worded differently to suit the occasion. Professional sheba's, while prospecting for nuggets, have a quaint little ditty that is a great business-getter: "Vun small bottle vine, pleece!" Other shebas, using a different technique, merely insinuate. "Did you say let's have an ice cream sody?" Either way you have to be the fall guy or you're blacklisted by the Sheba's Union from now on.

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It was a Shanghai Sheba, by the way, who first gave to the world the idea that since Man was created from dust it must be gold dust—and so why not!

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Sheba's are often carriers of the malignant painter's colic.

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Sheba's are very frail and prone to contract fearful diseases on the spur of the moment. If you happen to be a clod hopper on the ballroom floor they can catch Hongkong foot without a moment's hesitation.

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They often have heart-trouble, which, of course, is not surprising since A. Dumb Bunny was once told by a fellow whose friend had a father who was a surgeon that nearly all sheba's have hearts of stone.

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Sheba's are also very gally sometimes.

* * *

Sheba's discovered long ago that beauty is only muscle deep and you'd be surprised how some apparently plain looking sheba's get by like a million dollars!

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Sheba's consider, as they should, that shicks are legitimate prey. Sometimes when they're talking to shicks that attempt to show a little independence they get so hardboiled go out and buy chicken wire to make their hairnets.

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We once knew a razzle-dazzle headed sheba with a turnip nose who wore glasses. She looked as innocent as a kitten, but how she could scratch! And she was so doggone hard-boiled she always took the precaution to take off her glasses before she talked to herself.

Larry

The Coal Commission Reports

In view of the present situation concerning the coal industry in the United States the following article in The New Republic gives the semi-radical views in an interesting and instructive manner. Mr. Soule is director of the Labor Bureau, New York, and author of "The Intellect and The Labor Movement."

BY GEORGE SOULE

The first report of the United States Coal Commission—its preliminary survey of the anthracite industry—is neither a pleasant surprise nor an unpleasant disappointment. It contains as much relevant fact as could have been expected at this time, and its recommendations rest at a point which might have been predicted from a look at the balance of forces furnished by the technical equipment, native intelligence, honesty of purpose, and conservative social philosophy of the commissioners.

The anthracite industry exploits deposits occupying a small part of the state of Pennsylvania, and used chiefly for domestic purposes by the inhabitants of the north-eastern states. The coal deposits themselves are the property of a comparatively few owners, and the bulk of the supply is mined by nine large companies, which are in turn owned or controlled by the "anthracite railroads." While no actual monopoly of this limited supply is known to exist, the nine large companies do not practise competition with each other either in setting prices or dealing with labor. About one-third of the deposits have been exhausted, and as time goes on the necessary cost of getting out hard coal will increase, and the rate of production will be limited.

The traditional attitude toward natural resources in the United States is that they are the unrestricted private property of the individuals having title to them, who may reap as much profit as circumstances permit. Classical economics teaches that extortion will remedy itself if free competition exists. Where a virtual monopoly arises, however, as it easily may in such a case, and where the product is essential to the public, public control is necessary and justified. Applying this principle, which has been recognised in the case of railroads and other public utilities, the Coal Commission enunciates the conclusion that the anthracite industry is affected by the public interest and should be subject to some sort of control—to be specified later. Essential in this control are uniform accounting and statistical methods, combined with full publicity. Less than this the commission could scarcely have said. Yet saying it marks a tremendous advance, since we have not previously had even much information about this industry. The commission refuses to go further by recommending government ownership either by purchase or expropriation, believing "that the principle of individual and corporate responsibility should be maintained as most likely to insure economical and efficient management." This is an expression of faith rather than a conclusion based on adequate research, and unless some fuller discussion of the possible advantage of nationalisation is contained in the complete report, the commission will hardly have grappled closely with its problem.

The commission furnishes some interesting figures on what happens to the consumer's dollar paid for coal. In the first place it is noted that both wholesale and retail prices of stove coal have doubled in ten years. The prices of most other commodities doubled also between 1913 and 1920, but the deflation of 1921 took them back to within fifty or sixty percent of the pre-war level. Not so with anthracite.

In Boston the consumer's dollar in the fall of 1922 was divided as follows: 32 cents or about a third to the dealer, 23 cents or about a quarter to railroads and other transportation companies, and 45 cents, or less than half, to the mine. In New York the division was, 26 cents to dealer, 18 cents to railroad, and 56 cents to mine. The proportion naturally would be expected to vary according to the distance of the city from the mines, with a consequent difference of freight charges. This is not always the case, however. There seems to be a wide variation of dealers' margins and profits among cities as well as in the same city. This suggests possible economies in the important function of retail distribution, either by its better organisation or by price control of both. The possibility is emphasised by the discovery that there has been a general and marked increase in dealers' margins in the past five years. It is also pointed out that the dealers more favorably situated in respect to sources of supply may, even though their business methods are no more efficient than others', profit exorbitantly by charging a market price set by the marginal high-cost retailers. Here is a first-class opportunity for proper allocation of supply among dealers on one hand, and for co-operative or municipal distribution on the other.

The wholesaler occupies an important place in high prices during a period of shortage. Many speculators who never actually handle a ton of coal buy and sell it on paper, so that by the time it reaches the retailer it bears several profits representing no service whatever.

Next in line come the freight charges. It has been the practice of the anthracite interests to take a large part of their profits out of transportation rather than out of mining itself. This enables them to take a larger toll from the coal mined by independents, which must be shipped over the lines of the large interests. Carrying coal involves a low operating cost, since it is shipped in large cars, fully loaded, in trains of maximum tonnage. Yet the rate on anthracite is higher than that on bituminous coal and seems relatively too high when the rates on other commodities are considered. The great profits of the coal carriers testify to the possibility of lowering anthracite rates, and the commission properly recommends an earnest consideration of this matter to the Interstate Commerce Commission, which has jurisdiction over it.

Mine costs themselves have doubled since 1913. Labor costs have doubled on account of wage increases—a fact which is not in itself to be deplored, when we consider the desirability of raising the wage-earners' standard of living. Although the commission does not call attention to the fact, wages have more than doubled in manufacturing industries, yet this has not involved a corresponding increase in the prices of the products. Mine supplies have not increased as much as labor cost, but "other expenses" have increased more. These expenses include, as major factors, "increasing charges for royalty and depletion." This point, although it is not emphasised by the commission, leads to the crucial question of how large a return the owners of coal deposits are entitled to.

The coal industry is characterised by the fact that it has "wasting assets." In other words, its original investment is used up year by year as the coal is taken out of the ground. To meet this situation the owners have devised the system of depletion charges. A certain amount is charged every year against operating costs, so that when the mine is exhausted, an amount equal to its original value will be on hand to replace it. In addition to these charges, a royalty is charged against each ton of coal mined, which represents the owner's profits. When the mine is finally abandoned, therefore,

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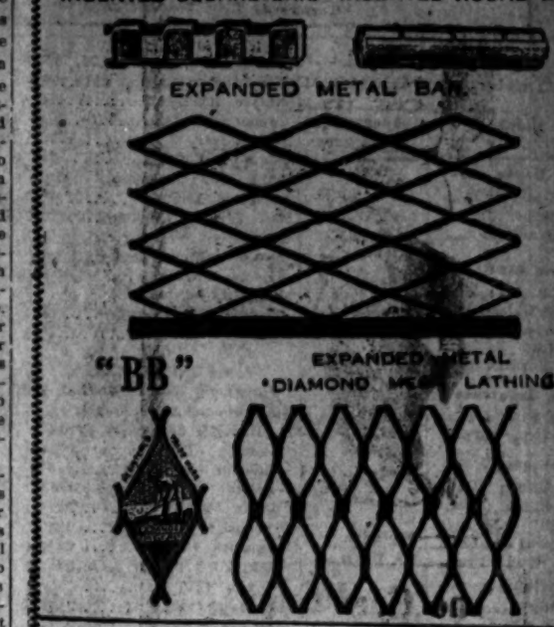

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KIN I GIT THE TENT RIGHT AWAY?
SO LONG.
BE CAREFUL WHEN YOURE TAKIN' THE TENT DOWN THAT YOU DON'T WAKE I'D ME WIFE.
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The Coal Commission Reports

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the owner has had his yearly profit on it, and also comes out with his capital intact. On this account the valuation placed on the coal deposits is doubly important, as well as the rate of royalty charged. If the valuation of the mine were what was originally paid for it, there could be no objection, granted the continuance of the capitalist system. This is the principle for which the anthracite miners contend. But the mining interests have found many ways to increase values far above the original cost. They are constantly writing up the value by means of "surveys" and "appraisals" devised by ingenious and high-priced engineers and accountants. Hence the constantly rising royalty and depletion charges. Hence the enormous accumulation of surpluses on the part of the coal companies noted by the commission.

This crucial question the commission dodges, except in its recommendation for publicity. "The opportunities for inflating figures of costs are so numerous and the questions as to how investment shall be reckoned are so unsettled that without such continuous publicity the commission fears that the concentrated control of the anthracite industry may take indefensible profits." That is a mild statement indeed. By sufficiently detailed accounting questionnaires the commission might expose past and present cost methods leading to profits which nine people out of ten would think indefensible. Concerning the various suggested methods of reckoning the value of investment the commission remarks only that neither the market value nor the cost of reproduction is a fair test, the first because it depends on prices and profits which are themselves the result of monopoly control, and the second because a coal mine cannot be reproduced at any price. These remarks, unassailable as they are, tend in the right direction. The commission will be well advised if it goes on to state a principle of valuation which is in keeping with the public interest. Legally, it is true, the courts may have the final word about valuation, but it is the duty of the commission to give guidance to both the courts and the public, based on concrete study of the industry; rather than to pass the whole responsibility on to judges who are too likely to decide the issue on the basis of antiquated economic superstitions and legalistic formulae.

Because the commission has no principle of valuation, and insufficient accounting information, such figures as it gives about the division of mine cost among labor and other elements are erected on a shaky foundation. It is regrettable in these circumstances that the report adopts the operators' figure of $5.75 for the average mine cost of the nine large companies in 1923. The miners estimate this cost at $5.20, if proper valuation and accounting standards be adopted. Some effort to reconcile these figures is in order before the complete report is written.

The study of miners' earnings and employment appears to have been conscientiously made; it was a sound procedure to state the figures, not by large averages, but classes of occupations. The yearly income for a family of five earned by miners who are fully employed is said to range in general between $1,500 and $2,000. The topmost figure is slightly below the amount required in most medium-sized cities, such as those inhabited by anthracite miners, to sustain a level of existence specified in a budget of the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics as the "minimum of health and decency."

The recommendations for clauses to be enbodied in the new agreement evidently contemplate the building up of a machinery of adjustment and conciliation under the agreement, similar to the impartial machinery in the men's clothing industry. A continuing umpire for the conciliation board, with a voice but no vote, is recommended. A labor manager and staff for the employers, who can investigate and settle disputes at the mines, would be added. Committees are recommended to codify the provisions of the agreement in the light of present practices, and to make an engineering study of the job as a better basis for rate-making. These recommendations seem reasonable and helpful. Less can be said for the proposal to terminate the agreement at a different time from the termination of the bituminous agreement, for while this would make an anthracite strike of less moment, it would by the same token reduce the bargaining power of the union. The proposal which would allow time for a presidential investigation of any disagreement before the determination of the contract is a better measure for insuring peace with justice, if we elect just and discerning Presidents.

The one radical and fearless paragraph of the document is that the President be authorised, in the event of a strike or lockout, to take over the mines, operate them and distribute the product, fixing wages, prices, and compensation to owners—the latter subject to judicial review. This semi-communistic measure is thought advisable when the wage-earners take the only means possible to protect themselves from what they may consider unjust terms of employment, although the commission opposes such a mildly socialistic measure as buying out the owners in order to see that the public and the workes are protected from possible injustice. Indeed, the commission does not even set down a principle for the fair remuneration of property. It would have been the better part of wisdom to be a little more daring in enunciating plans which would prevent a crisis in the industry, and less so in contemplating action when the crisis arrives. It is too easy to imagine the government operating the mines, paying to property what the courts might consider a "fair return," and in doing so acting as union-smasher for the employers—perhaps in a wage-reduction campaign. The Palmer and Daugherty injunctions have already injured the prestige of government by implicating it with the interest of capital in labor disputes about as much as it can be injured without grave danger to the body politic.

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A SPORTING INTEREST

IT is a busy scene in the year of one of Houston's greatest manufacturing establishments. A

number of workmen are busy raising some heavy object by means of blocks and tackles. Somehow, a rope is worn in two by friction, and a derrick falls. There is a hurried scrambling out of the way, a loud jarring crash, a cloud of dust, and a man stretched out dead beneath the heavy timbers.

The others gather round and with herculean efforts drag the beams from across his mangled form. There is a hoarse murmur of pity from rough but kind breasts, and the question runs around the group, "Who is to tell her?"

In a neat little cottage near the railroad, within their sight as they stand, a bright-eyed brown-haired young woman is singing at her work, not knowing that death has snatched away her husband in the twinkling of an eye.

Singing happily at her work while the hand that she had chosen to protect and comfort her through life, lies stilled and fast turning to the coldness of the grave!

These rough men shrink like children from telling her. They dread to hear the news that will change her smiles to awful sorrow and lamentation.

"You go, Mike," three or four of them say at once. "'Tis more larnin ye have than any av us, whatever and ye'll be afther brakin' the news to her as aisy as ye can. Be off wid ye now, and shpake gently to Tim's poor lassie while we thry to get the corpse in shape."

Mike is a pleasant-faced man, young and stalwart, and with a last look at his unfortunate comrade he goes slowly down the street towards the cottage where the fair young wife—alas, now a widow—lives.

When he arrives, he does not hesitate. He is tender-hearted, but strong. He lifts the gate latch and walks firmly to the door. There is something in his face, before he speaks, that tells her the truth.

"What was it?" she asks, "spontaneous combustion, or snakes?"

"Derrick fell," says Mike.

"Then I've lost my bet," she says. "I thought sure it would be whiskey."

Life, messieurs, is full of disappointments!

Bobbie And His Pa

BY WILLIAM F. KIRK

Thay will have to bild sum new houses in our town beefoar long, sed Pa last nite, I see in the paiper a lot of ads for houses in wich to live in, sed Pa. Our littel city is growing, sed Pa.

I am glad to be living in a growing city insted of in a Deeserted Villiage, sed Ma. Think how hew-mill-ating it wud be to live in a Deeserted Villiage, sed Ma.

That was the kind of Villiage you were living in wen I first saw you & first herd yure girlish giggeling, sed Pa.

You have yure nerve rite with you, sed Ma, to speek thus of my old hoam town. I lived in one of the moast butiful littel cities in the nashun, sed Ma. How often I have herd deer old daddy speek of its grate shade trees & twisting street, sed Ma.

The streets was strate enuff, as I reecall them, sed Pa, it must of been yure old gent that was twisting, sed Pa.

You try my temper soarly at times, sed Ma, but I suppoas I shud be above feeling angry at you, sed Ma. As I sed beefoar, my old hoam town was a butiful littel city.

But you were glad enuff to embark from it, I notis, sed Pa, wen I caim along to take you away as my loving wife, sed Pa. I shall nevver forget the look of happyness on yure face wen you left yure old hoam & yure hoam town, to be my wife. Well mite you be proud & happy, wife, sed Pa. Well mite you.

I suppose I cud have made a worse choice, sed Ma. I think sumtimes how sum of my gurl chums married men that turned out bad, sed Ma, & at such times I am thankerful, sed Ma.

Yes, sed Pa, you showed yure bright mind by choosing me, sed Pa. Many of the other gurls were looking my way in them days, sed Pa, sum of them butiful & welthy, but somehow, I had at eyes for anybody but you, dearest, sed Pa.

Well, sed Ma, I guess it was all for the best, tho sumtimes when you maik fun of my old hoam town & my dear old dad, sed Ma, I feel like crowning you with the skillet, skillfully, sed Ma.

You wuddent do that to a poor feebul old husband like me, wood you, deer? sed Pa. Pa was laiing, but he wuddent be laiing if anybody else called him a poor feebul old husband. Pa is stuck up about how strong he is for his age.

I aint going to ever move away from this town, I sed, the kids on our baseball teem want me for thare pitcher.

Yes, sed Ma, & littel Bernice Worth wud cry, wuddent she Bobbie, sed Ma. I saw you walking hoam from skool with her, sed Ma.

You never did, I sed, & I got good & soar, it aint fare to hit a kid about a gurl, wen I grow up if I have a littel boy I will nevver kid him about a gurl, cos is raw work, I guess this will be all for this here essay, it is time to go to the movie.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGFOO, Capt. Maxwell, will leave on Wednesday, August 25, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, August 26, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 2,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, August 27, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 2,664 Tons, Captain Dowson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, August 27, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, August 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Thursday, Aug. 26, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. HAKAN Captain Stewart, will leave on Friday morning, August 24. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

SWATOW.—The Steamer IRENE, Capt. Patamel, will leave on Friday morning, August 24. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINFUNG, Captain Davis, will leave on Thursday morning, Aug. 26. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

TIENTSIN DIRECT.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo Steamer TAISHIN MARU, 5,000 tons, Captain K. Kashiwahara, will be despatched from O.S.K. Wharf on August 24, at ——— For Freight apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

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For Foreign Ports

SAN FRANCISCO via NAGASAKI, INLAND SEA, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU.—The S.S. KOREA MARU, 20,000 tons, Capt. K. Watanabe, will be despatched on Thursday, Aug. 26. Tender conveying passengers and mails will leave Customs jetty at 4:00 p.m. For passage, apply to TOYO KISEN KAISHA, No. 71 Szechuen Road, Shanghai. Tel. No. 3229-3230.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Whangpu left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing left Hongkong on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Swatow tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Kwongsaer is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Talsang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutsang is due to leave Hongkong for Shanghai next Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai next Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangtah left Hongkong on Monday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Loksang is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei at 6 o'clock this afternoon.

The D.K.K. s.s. Chohei Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao on Monday and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 9 o'clock this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Tsingtao yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Friday afternoon.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing was due to leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Hongkong and Canton yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Tientsin on Monday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Saturday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Hwahting (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien will leave Tientsin tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao Friday morning, and will dock at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan, from Newchwang, left Chefoo on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nikko Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji today and will dock at the N. Y. K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki tomorrow morning, and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The steamer is to sail for the same port early Friday morning.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Calcutta on Saturday, August 18, and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about Sept. 10.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Friday.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Karmala left London on Friday, August 3, at 3 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports about Sept. 12.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere left Marseilles on Friday, August 10, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about September 14.

The P. & O. s.s. Nellore left London at 3 p.m. August 15, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on September 26.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Antilochus left Kobe on Monday afternoon, and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Moji on Friday.

The N.D.L. s.s. Weser left Genoa on August 13, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports about September 18.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat will leave Shanghai for Marseilles via ports on Friday, August 31, at 1 p.m., and passengers may embark at the wharf after 11 o'clock that morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia will leave Yokohama next Sunday and arriving in Shanghai on September 1. The steamer is to sail for London via ports on September 4.

The P. & O. s.s. Mantua, from London on July 20, is expected to leave Hongkong at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and arriving in Shanghai next Sunday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Suwa Maru will leave Shanghai for Marseilles, London and Antwerp via ports early Saturday morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock Friday evening.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles yesterday morning, and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Kobe and Yokohama at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa which left Shanghai on July 7, arrived in London at 4 p.m. on Aug. 18.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Pawlet is due in Shanghai from Portland on Sunday, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen next Tuesday.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Keats will arrive in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, August 30, and is to sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on September 1.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison was due to leave Seattle on Saturday, and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 4.

The S. adn B. s.s. West Faralon will arrive in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 1, and is to sail for Hongkong and Manila Sept. 3.

The Clumbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on September 3 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila Sept. 7.

The C.G.M.M. s.s. Canadian Highlander, from Vancouver, left Kobe on Monday afternoon and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln, from San Francisco on August 13, was due to leave Honolulu on Sunday and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 2.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson is due to leave San Francisco tomorrow, and arriving in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on September 12.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada is due to leave Vancouver tomorrow, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 7.

The T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru is due at Woosung from Hongkong early tomorrow morning and will sail for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu in the evening. The tender with incoming passengers from the ship is expected at the Customs jetty about 9:30 a.m., and the outbound passenger tender will leave at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eurybates, from New York, left Kobe yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Moji, Taku Bar and Dairen on August 30.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jena is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on September 12, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on September 15.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports at 10 o'clock Friday morning, and will sail for Hongkong direct at 7 o'clock Saturday morning. The tender with incoming passengers from the ship is expected at the Customs jetty around 12:30 p.m., and the outbound tender will leave at 5:30 p.m. The last and extra tender with passengers only will leave the Customs jetty for Woosung at 10:30 o'clock Friday night.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant is due in Shanghai from Seattle and Japan ports tomorrow morning, and will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf about 9:30 o'clock. The liner brings 1,931 bags of mail, 2,500 tons of cargo and full list of passengers for this port, and is to sail for Hongkong and Manila on Saturday.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia will arrive at Woosung from Hongkong at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and sailing for Vancouver via Kobe and Yokohama at 8 a.m. Monday. The tender with inbound passengers from the ship is expected at the Customs jetty about 3:30 p.m., and the dispatch tender will leave at 5:30 p.m. An extra tender and last with passengers only for Woosung will leave the Customs jetty at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night, August 26. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's godown before 3 p.m. Saturday.

Sailed from Shanghai

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President Lincoln	July 21
President Taft	Aug. 4
Acme	Aug. 12
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 16
President Cleveland	Aug. 18

FOR VANCOUVER

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Empress of Canada	July 31
N. D. de Fourviere	Aug. 5
Empress of Russia	Aug. 12

FOR SEATTLE

President Madison	July 24
Eldridge	Aug. 1
Yokohama Maru	Aug. 4
Harold Dollar	Aug. 5
President McKinley	Aug. 6
President Jackson	Aug. 17

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West O'Rowa	July 24
West Jessup	Aug. 6

FOR NEW YORK

Gothic Prince	July 21
Independence	July 22
Virginia Dollar	July 24
Manila Maru	July 25
City of Madras	Aug. 9
Talthybius	Aug. 9
Egremont Castle	Aug. 12
Delagoa Maru	Aug. 10
Alaska Maru	Aug. 16

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Devanha	July 21
Peleus	July 28
Kashima Maru	July 28
Sarpedon	Aug. 2
Khiva	Aug. 4
Titan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 12
Laomedon	Aug. 14
Dardanus	Aug. 16
Kashmir	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru	Aug. 18

FOR HAMBURG

City of Pekin	July 24
Emil Kirdorf	July 26
Gleniffer	Aug. 4
Scheer	Aug. 15
Goettingen	Aug. 16
Muensterland	Aug. 19

FOR COPENHAGEN

Bolivia	Aug. 14

FOR ROTTERDAM

Saleier	Aug. 5

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta	Aug. 3

FOR MARSEILLES

Angkor	Aug. 3
Commandant Dorise	Aug. 13
Chambord	Aug. 17

FOR INDIA

Torilla	July 21
Hosang	July 25
Soudan	Aug. 3
Alipore	Aug. 17

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung for Kiukiang: Miss C. E. Merrvill; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kieffer, Messrs. A. Robert, W. J. Calder, A. Leder, Prescott, Goforth, Waldrick, H. Lowe.

Per C.N. s.s. Sinkiang for Amoy: Lt. Comdr. F. E. P. Hutton.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking for Ningpo: Miss Geary, Mr. and Mrs. Bauson, Messrs. R. A. Bell, H. B. Poincey.

Per C.N. s.s. Suiyang for Hongkong: Mr. H. Huddleston.

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien for Weihaiwei: Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Fleming, Miss Barclay, Messrs. L. F. Pike, C. G. Humphreys, Dr. R. J. Marshall; for Chefoo: Mrs. C. H. Winckler, Master Ian Mackenzie, Mrs. B. P. Dillon; for Tientsin: Messrs. M. A. A. Mackintosh, J. R. Hinton, S. G. Teakle.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru for Nagasaki: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. and Miss Schroder, Mrs. D Bowden and 2 children, Miss S. Dennis Mrs W A White, Misses F. H. and F. M. White, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Messrs. J. E. Wallis, G. Sadoglen, E. S. J. Phillips, F. C. Banham, P. F. Munro Ferrier, N. A. Kearton, P. J. Pauly.

Per I-C. s.s. Kungwo for Kiukiang: Mrs. R. C. Beebee; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Keller, Misses D. Lloyd, S. Gilman, O G Wolters, Mrs. W. E. Harston, Messrs. Otoo Schneider, W. L. Farnam, Albert Tayler, H. C. Illium, Gen. Hastican, two sisters.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangyu for Kiukiang: Mr. and Mrs. Voigts.

Per C.M. s.s Hsinchi for Foochow: Misses McClelland, Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Kung, Mesdames Lien, Mr. Woo, Mr. and Mrs. Jones and two children.

Steamers Departed

Aug. 21—Kiangshun for Hankow
Aug. 21—Poyang for Hankow
Aug. 21—Luenho for Hankow
Aug. 21—Tachang M. for H'kow
Aug. 21—Banreoch for Japan
Aug. 21—Tsuru M. for Hankow
Aug. 21—Choshu M. for Dairen
Aug. 21—Suiyang for S. H. C.
Aug. 21—Rokko M. for Japan
Aug. 21—Hsinchang for Tientsin
Aug. 21—Shanghai M. for Jap.
Aug. 21Shuntien for W. C. T'tsin
Aug. 21—Tseangtah 2 for H'kow
Aug. 21—Ralph Moller for V'toz
Aug. 21—Fukwang for Hankow
Aug. 21-Shawhsing for N'chwang
Aug. 21—Pingyang for T. Dairen
Aug. 21—Yungshin for Ningpo
Aug. 21—H. K'teen for Ningpo

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangwah from Hankow: Dr. J. H. Paterson.

Per M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon from Marseilles: Mr. Schevencute, Messrs. Tao Yu-cheng, C. E. and Z. T. Ling, Bordes, Lorenzi Jean; from Singapore: Mr. and Mrs. L. Pendleton; from Port Said: Mrs. and Miss Tcherenisski, Messrs. Rosenberg, Cuetomski; from Saigon: Messrs. Blumenthal, Le Sean; from Haiphong: Messrs. Le Boterf, Massao Andre, Fashino Fsukayoto, Kuble, Mr. and Mrs. Audigier, Mr. and Mrs. Suen Seakog and three children; from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. Planque, Messrs. D. Beith, Baker and son, Yates, Sudbury, De Kat, Li, Siu Chip-chow, Li Kwai-lap, Mahari Batchi, Miss Niebulena.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo: Misses R. Harada, L. Remedios, Messrs. H. Holgate, T. Wardrop, E. S. Dovey, Master and Miss Equigo.

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S.S. President Cleveland	Oct 12
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U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST KEATS" ..... Aug. 30
U.S.S.B. S.S. "HANNAWA" ..... Sept. 3
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For Portland, via Kobe
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST O'ROWA" ..... Aug. 26

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S.S. "ATLAS MARU" ..... Sept. 14

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S.S. "HAWAII MARU (Direct to Kobe) .....Sept. 4
S.S. "ARABIA MARU" ....(Direct to Kobe) ..Sept. 26

FOR HONGKONG (DIRECT)
S.S. "ARABIA MARU" ..... Sept. 13

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS. Tientsin and Dairen
S.S. "TAISHIN MARU" ....(Direct to Tientsin) Aug. 25
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ..(Via Tsingtao) ....Aug. 30

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S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" ..... Aug. 30

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S.S. "PARIS MARU" .....(Direct to Kobe) ..Aug. 22
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ANDRE LEBON	13th July	23th August	14th September
AMBOISE	27th July	2nd Sept.	28th Sept.
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ANGERS	24th Aug.	30th Sept.	26th Oct.
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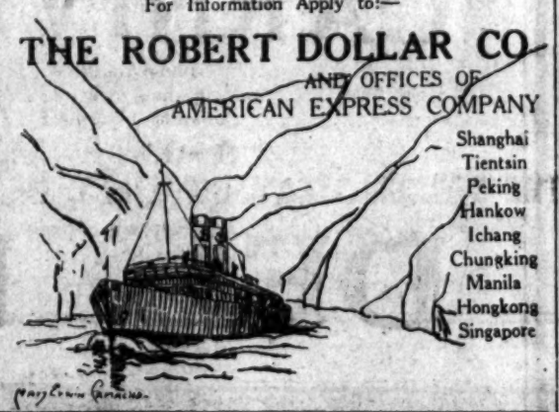

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Aug. 25 —	New York vid Suez	Moorish Prince	Br. Furness
Aug. 25 —	New York	Eelbeck	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 26 —	Portland	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 28 5.30	Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 28 —	Portland	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co
Aug. 29 —	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 30 —	New York via Suez	Antiochus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30 —	Vancouver	C. Highlander	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1 —	New York via Suez	Bowes Castle	Br. Dod. & Co.
Sep. 1 —	Portland, Ore.	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 1 —	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 4 —	Seattle	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Sep. 6 —	New York	Lisbon Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 7 —	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 7 —	Portland, Ore.	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 8 —	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep. 9 —	Seattle	Shidzuoka M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 9 —	Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Sep. 10 —	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 14 —	New York via Suez	Esther Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Sep. 14 —	New York	Atlas Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 15 —	Portland, Ore.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 18 —	San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 —	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 20 —	Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 22 —	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 24 —	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 25 —	New York	Wm. Penn	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 26 —	Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 29 —	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 3 —	San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Oct. 4 —	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 6 —	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 13 —	San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 20 —	Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 27 —	San Francisco	P. Celeveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Aug. 22 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 22 —	Kobe	Paric Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 23 7.00*	Kobe, Yokohama	Andre Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 24 —	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 25 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 27 —	Nagoya, Yokohama	Aso Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 28 —	Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 29 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

Aug. 25 —	Hamburg, etc.	Glenbeg	Br G. L. E. A.
Aug. 25	D.L. London	Suwa Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 25 —	Hamburg, etc.	C. of Glasgow	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 26 —	Barcelona	I. de Panay	Span. Br. & Co.
Aug. 27 —	Liverpol, etc.	Agamemnon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 27 —	Marseilles	Durban Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 29 —	Marseilles	Matsuye Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 30 —	Calcutta	Janus	Br. M. M. & Co.
Aug. 30 —	London, etc.	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30 —	Calcutta	Kutsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 31 1.00	Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Sep. 4 —	London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 5 —	Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 7 —	Rotterdam	Saparoea	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Sep. 8 —	London	†Fushimim M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 11 —	Marseilles, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 12 —	Hamburg, etc.	Lycaon	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 13 —	Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M.M. & Co.
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Sep. 15 —	Liverpool	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 16 —	London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 18 —	London	†Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 19 —	Antwerp, etc.	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28 —	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 30 —	Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 30 —	London—	†Caledonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 2 —	London	†Mantua	Br. M.M. & Co
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Oct. 6 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Kertosono	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Oct. 10 —	Hamburg, etc.	Phemius	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 12 —	Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 26 —	Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 31 —	London	Teiresias	Br. B.& S.
Nov. 11 —	Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Nov. 13 —	London	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 27	London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 —	London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 25 —	London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Sept. 1 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 19 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 6 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 3 —	Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.

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Aug. 22 5.00	Ningpo	T'sin Ningshao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Aug. 22 —	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Aug. 23 4.00	Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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Aug. 23	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Loksang	Br. J. M.
Aug. 24 —	Foochow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Aug. 24 —	Swatow	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Aug. 24. 8.00*	A. H'kong C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 24 —	H'kong, Manila	W. Carmona	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 24 —	Hongkong	E. of Asia	Jap. O. S. K.
Aug. 25. 9.00	H'kong, C'ton	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 25 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 26 10.00*	Swatow	Hupeh	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 26	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Tungshing	Br. J.M. & Co.
Aug. 28 noon	S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1 —	Hongkong, Manila	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
Sept. 3 —	Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 3 —	Hongkong, Manila	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
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Sept. 15 —	Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 21 —	Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep 28 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 30 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Aug. 22 9.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Aug. 22	D.L. C. N'chwang, Antung	Esang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 22	D.L. Tsingtao	Fooshing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 22	D.L. Antung	Wosang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Aug. 23 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsiufung	Chi. C.M.S.N Co.
Aug. 23. 7.00*	Newchwang, T'tsin	Kiukiang	Br.
Aug. 24 —	Tientsin	Taishin Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 25 11.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki M.	Jap. D.K.K.
Aug. 25 10.00*	Antung	Chengtu	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 25 —	Dairen	Taishin M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 25 10.00*	Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 25 10.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 26 10.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fausang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 26 —	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K.M.A.
Aug. 28—	Dairen etc.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 15 —	Darren, etc.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Aug. 22	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 22	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 23	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 23	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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Aug. 24	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
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Aug. 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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Aug. 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
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Aug. 28	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 28	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 29	M.N Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 29	M.N Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.

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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	2 p.m.	Korea Maru	S. Francisco	Sep. 17
Aug. 26	8.30 a.m.	E. of Australia	Vancouver	Sep. 12
Aug. 28	9 p.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	Sep. 14

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Aug. 24	3.30 p.m.	Suwa Maru	Marseilles	Sep. 29

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Heinfung
Newchwang	Today	9 p.m.	Hiukiang
Tsingtao and Dairy	Today	7.30 a.m.	Chohei Maru
W'wei, Chefoo and T'tsin	Aug. 23	9 p.m.	Kingsing
Tsingtao	Aug. 25	8.30 a.m.	Yingchow
Antung	Aug. 25	8.30 a.m.	Chengtu
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Aug. 25	3.30 p.m.	Tungchow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Loksang
Amoy	Aug. 23	9 p.m.	Soochow
Foochow	Aug. 23	9 p.m.	Haean
Swatow	Aug. 23	9 p.m.	Irene
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 24	8 p.m.	P. Grant
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 24	3 p.m.	Suwa Maru
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 25	7.30 a.m.	Kanchow
Swatow	Aug. 26	8.30 a.m.	Hupeh

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	A. Lebon
Japan ports	Aug. 23	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	Aug. 24	8 p.m.	Nikko Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Aug. 24	8 p.m.	P. Grant
Japan ports	Aug. 27	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
F N B	Aug. 15	Altair	Fr. Gun-boat
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
M C W		Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
I C	Aug. 2	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
M C W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 25	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
M C W	Aug. 20	Widgeon	Br. Gunboat

Meteorological Reports

August 22, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.29
Sun sets today at 18.38

(inches	SICCAWEI August 17		August 18	
Barometer (reduced to 32° F.)	29.79	29.85	29.85	29.38
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	−0.01	†0.01	†0.03	†0.02
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	−0.03	−0.01	†0.06	†0.03
Wind—direction	SE	SE	SE	SE
Wind—miles per hour	17.4	14.3	11.3	13.7
Temperature (Fahr.)	88°7	78°6	76°3	84°7
Humidity %	66	92	97	72
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	5	0	0	5
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	—	—	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT August 17	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.83	†0.01	29.74
Temperature (Min. 73°2) (Fahr.) (Max. 92°9)	83°0	−0°9	80°4
Rainfall (inches)	34.09	0.00	30.63

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 22, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 2 and 3 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
8h. 39m.	3ft. 3in.	9h. 19m.	6ft. 4in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5¼ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M	H.	M
7	15	[illegible]	57

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, S

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
3.20 p.m.	1.14 a.m.	5h. 30m.	5h. 36m.	4h. 45m.	7h. 31m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. August 754.9 mm. 29.71 in.

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The Russians At Gensan

An Official Survey

The following official survey of relief work among the Russian refugees at Gensan, Korea, is particularly interesting to Shanghailanders at the present time since the Russians spoken of are now en route to Shanghai on four vessels. Like the many who have preceded them they hope to find Shanghai a haven of refuge. It appeared in the Seoul Press.

While recognising the necessity of giving continued aid to the Russian refugees, the Government-General thought it desirable to urge them speedily to determine the course they would pursue to extricate themselves from their miserable plight, and lost little time in signifying them to the effect. The refugees, however, appeared quite helpless in the face of the rigorous weather and the large number of children and sick and wounded to care for. The authorities accordingly laid down a plan by which to obtain employment for the able-bodied, and at the same time protect the aged, women, and disabled until the end of June last. With this plan as guide, investigations were at once started, and it was found that the refugees, on their part, were sincerely desirous of finding means of self-support so as to make themselves as little a burden on the Japanese Government as possible. Thanks to this discovery, investigations were quickly finished and the Government-General classified all the able-bodied Russians into two groups, viz. (1) those able to work by themselves and (2) those whom special circumstances demand that they worked together in groups. Invitation to employees for work for the refugees was responded to rather eagerly, and 150 signified willingness to provide employment. On inquiry, however, the majority betrayed that they knew little about Russians and simply made the offer merely from curiosity. So the refugees under the first category found very few suitable employers as will be seen from the following table.—

Employers	Occupation	Men	Female	Total
Unsan Mines:				
	Overseer	4	3	7
Relief Association in Russian Consulate, Seoul:				
	Shoemaker	7	—	7
Ishiksan Gold Mines:				
	Carpenter	1	1	2
	Mechanic	1	—	1
Am. residents, Seoul:				
	Seoul Servant	2	—	2
Seto Hospital Seoul:				
	Nurse	1		1
Japanese at Gensan:				
	Ham-curer	10	—	10
Japanese Photo Studio Seoul:				
	Apprentice	1	—	1
Japanese at Ranan:				
	Baker	1	—	1
Rankoku Farm:				
	Farm hand	3	—	3
French Mines, Changson:				
	Clerk	1	—	1
Russian Consulate, Wonsan:				
	Clerk	4	2	6
Total		35	7	42

In addition to the above a Russian woman married a Japanese resident in Seoul.

With regard to the second class of ablebodied refugees special care was taken to secure temporary work at more or less fixed points, and irrigation and railway works were chosen as being especially suited to the occasion. Preparations were made pending the advent of spring, and even before its arrival some 250 of the refugees in camp at Matsuda Bay were sent to work on road construction between Matsuda Bay and Bunsen taken up by South Kankyo Province.

On completion of the various preparations in April, 1,700 refugees were dispatched to Tetsugen (Cholwon) on the Keijo-Gensan Line, to be employed in the irrigation work there while 300 more were engaged in railway work at Tansen (Tanchon) in South Kankyo Province.

UNSATISFACTORY RESULTS

The Russian workers showed comparatively favorable results at Tansen, but their mates at Tetsugen fell much below the expectation of their employers. Their labor efficiency was very low and they observed too many holidays. Indeed, in point of efficiency they were far inferior to Chinese or Koreans. Russians showing themselves capable of good work there represented rather less than 50 percent of the total number employed in the irrigation work, but when their days of absence through sickness or from other causes were taken into account the percentage fell to a little over 35. Accordingly the wages earned by the refugee-laborers were insufficient to meet even the daily needs of the 1,700 so employed. The hope that they might save part of their wages to defray the expenses of their future journey home was thus entirely lost. Far from such being done, after less than two months of work the refugees at Tetsugen found themselves in debt to their employers. On June 12, seven hundred refugees, led by Major-General Rabodeff left Korea for Shanghai, and their departure occasioned some commotion among the other refugees. Many Russians both at Tetsugen and Tansen from that time on attempted or effected flight, and the situation became so unpleasant that the leaders of the refugees became convinced of the necessity of sending them back to their homes or to other districts before the return of winter. The leaders set about preparations to compass this about the middle of July last.

HELP DISCONTINUED

The estimates of the Government-General for aid to the Russian refugees at Gensan were originally based on a plan for supporting them until the end of June last, but the authorities, through economy, managed to spread them over another month. At the end of July the fund thus ear-marked was exhausted so it was decided that Government aid to the refugees must totally cease on the 31st of that month and the Russians left to their own resources. This being notified the refugees beforehand, Russians accompanied by their families or desirous of returning to Manchuli and neighborhood left Gensan overland for their destinations, such departures exceeding 1,000 in all. Over 1,000 others led by Lieut.-General Grepoff, on the other hand, resolved to seek refuge in another country, and on the 5th instant, withdrew from Gensan by four Russian vessels in port. The relief work by the Government-General for the Russian refugees was thus brought to a complete end.

On the eve of their departure the staff of the refugees sent a letter signed by all to the Government-General, Japan Red Cross Society, etc., expressing their heartfelt thanks for the kindness and practical sympathy extended towards all the refugees since their sudden arrival in Korea last year.

ALTRUISTIC MOTIVE

In aiding the Russian refugees as so far summarised, the Government-General acted simply from the dictates of humanity and had no political or selfish motive in the background. This altruistic motive was evidently fully understood by the Russian visitors, since none of them ever trespassed on the authority or disobeyed the orders of the Government-General and perfect order was maintained among them during their rather prolonged stay in the peninsula. This satisfactory condition, needless to say, was largely due to good management by the refugees, but, in a measure, would seem to be owing to the cordial sympathy shown by official and private people here, which must have impressed them so deeply that they firmly determined not to abuse the hospitality of Japan.

The present statement, however, will not be complete unless justice is done to the very efficient cooperation in the Russian relief work by the Japan Red Cross Society and individual foreigners and subjects of the Empire. To put it in a nutshell, the Japan Red Cross Society incurred heavy expenses in giving medical aid to the sick and wounded for so long a time, while foreigners and inhabitants of Gensan and other parts of the peninsula were very liberal in their efforts to relieve the misery of so large a host of wanderers. The Government-General is sincerely thankful for their public spirit and generosity. The refugees are now [illegible] destination safely and find happiness in the years to come.

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Aug. 21—Andre Lebon from Mars.
Aug. 21—Pacific from Cruise
Aug. 21—Kiangwah for Hankow
Aug. 21—Suiyang M. for Hankow
Aug. 21—Hupeh from H'kong

FOR TIRED FEET

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